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WEAVER WINS.

The Weakest Candidate in the Whole Field

CARRIES OFF THE NOMINATION.

The Platform Covers a Great Many Subjects.

ALL-NIGHT SESSION OF THE CONVENTION

Which Is Entertained by a Filibustering Debate, in Hopes That Gresham Might Come Into the Race.

GEN. FIELD FOR VICE PRESIDENT.

Omaha, Neb., July 4.—(Special Telegram to The Constitution.)—These third party people, in convention assembled, are like unto the Irishman's drinks—mixed, by jingo mixed. Serious but misguided, these people have spent a day of fussing and shouting, with the vilification of the old parties a leading text and happy pastime, but whatever radical partisans may heap upon them, democrats and republicans must give them this credit: They are serious in their complaints.

The day has been spent in a way that has not developed anything of special note, save enthusiasm and extreme consideration of the reform theories of the day.

The Platform Adopted.

They have, however, very cautiously gone about the work of framing a platform. The wild scheme of having the government own all the railroads, telegraph and telephone lines has been endorsed and this plank of the platform caused more cheering than any other, partly because many of the western delegates received no reduced rates to the convention. For that they would meet the railroad magnates at Phillippi in the fall, and it is on record that action was taken to bring before the commission whether a railroad can give reduced rates to a republican or a democratic convention, and refuse it to a people's party convention. One adroit fellow declared on the convention floor that "We'll use it for campaign capital anyhow," though it was shown that these railroads had given the reduced rates and the orders were not understood in time to sell the tickets.

The Georgia Delegation.

A strong effort has been made all day to get the Georgia delegation to allow Watson's name to go before the convention, after Gresham's telegram refusing, but the Georgia delegation say they want Watson where he is, which at once gives away their faith in the national strength of their party. A bird in the hand is worth two in the bush is their policy, for they think that Watson is safe in congress. The Georgia delegation held a caucus at high noon and decided to support Senator J. H. Kyle, of South Dakota. Twenty-seven of the thirty votes were cast for him. Uncle Jimmy Carmichael was for Weaver first, last and all the time. If Weaver, or any western man, is put at the head of the ticket, the southern delegates will be allowed to nominate the vice president, and they have in caucus agreed on the name of General Fields, the Virginia veteran, for the place.

The Pension Plank.

In making the platform it is very, very funny how nothing has been said of the pension plank, which caused so much opposition in the south. When I asked some of the Georgia delegation what had become of this not-to-be-forgotten plank, they looked sour.

"Oh, well, we all thought it best not to say anything about it. It has been ignored entirely and unanimously," said Dr. J. E. Ware, an ex-member of the legislature from Fayette county.

By the way, Georgia is being humored most generously by this convention. The third party has set its heart on robbing from the south her richest jewel, and Georgians here have been given sugar in their coffee at every political feast. Ellington was made temporary chairman, Mel Branch was chairman of the committee on resolutions, and R. W. Mays, of Jackson county, was prominent on the committee of permanent organization. The balloting will begin tonight, and a telegram from Houser, received just before the adjournment of the convention at 6 o'clock, states that Gresham will accept if unanimously called. This has revived the Gresham boom, and if the telegram was no fake, Gresham will be the man certain.

Powderly has just met me with a smile and said: "Keep your eye on Gresham yet. I am for him first, last and all the time, and have hope yet of seeing him nominated."

REMSEN CRAWFORD.

CHAIRMAN ELLINGTON'S VIEWS.

He Gives The Constitution a Resume of the Situation.

Convention Hall, Omaha, Neb., July 4.—(Special Dispatch to The Constitution.)—I called on Mr. Ellington today for a written statement of the situation. He writes the following, giving a third party man's glimpses of the convention hall:

"Editor The Constitution: At your request I send you my views in a few words relative to the national convention of the people's party now assembled at Omaha.

"In the first place, it is the most peculiar convention that ever assembled in this country in many ways. We found, on our arrival here Saturday morning, the western and northwestern men insisting on the south taking the head of the ticket, and southern men likewise insisting on the west or northwest taking the first place on the ticket. Such patriotic nonsectionalism is without precedent.

"Another thing, as anticipated by the convention, a week or so ago, the delegates as a rule are men fresh from shop and field. Their earnestness and honesty of purpose stand out plainly in their faces, in their every act. This is truly a convention of the people and for the people. I feel sure that if the people of Georgia—I mean the industrial class of Georgia—could be here at Omaha and see what we see, could grasp each other by the hand and look each other in the eye, there would be no doubt about the result in November.

"Another significant thing is that nine men out of ten, who are here as delegates or sympathizers of the convention, believe that we are sure of victory, no matter how doubtful before they reached here and mingled with one another. I have never before seen such a determined, enthusiastic set of men. The convention has adopted the St. Louis platform with only one change, the words [illegible] the present ratio of sixteen to one were added.

"A long and vigorous preamble written by Donnelly was also adopted, in which some reference to temperance and suffrage was made, as in St. Louis. The preamble and platform were received with tumultuous applause, lasting fully half an hour. There were some minor resolutions adopted relating to the force bill, pensions, eight-hour law, income tax, Pinkerton detectives, Wyoming cattle difficulties, the Rochester clothing boycott and against subsidies. These additional resolutions will also be adopted.

"All are pleased with the platform. There is great excitement over candidates. Gresham men are working every device to secure his nomination. So are he-mands that it shall come unanimously. This is impossible, as many states oppose him. The opposition is vacillating about Weaver. Kyle seems to be out of the race. General Fields, of Virginia, seems to be the man for the place. Nothing is certain in view of uncertainty in regard to Gresham's position.

"Yours respectfully,

"C. H. ELLINGTON."

What the Other Members Think.

When interviewed, members of the Georgia delegation talked thus:

A. L. Nance, of Gainesville—We have the platform of victory.

A. W. Ivey—The day's work has strengthened the third party.

R. A. Kelly—With a wise selection of a ticket and a good platform there is no doubt but what Georgia will go for the third party.

F. D. Wimberly—The platform is complete; it will right all wrongs.

Thad Pickett and George Newell are enthusiastic at the day's work.

REMSEN CRAWFORD.

Convention Hall, Omaha, Neb., July 4.—(Special Dispatch to The Constitution.)—Of course, with just such an array of unwary farmers thronging Omaha, it's too tempting a field for pickpockets to stay away. Georgians have come in for their share of losses. Dr. A. L. Nance and Mr. Thad Pickett had $30 each to be stolen out of their pockets, while innocently sleeping in their unlocked rooms.

REMSEN CRAWFORD.

WEAVER IS THE MAN.

The Convention Nominates Him by a Big Majority.

Omaha, Neb., July 5.—1 a. m.—(Special Telegram to The Constitution.)—Weaver was nominated after the midnight hour, winning with hands down.

Gresham would not, Senator Kyle could not, and so Weaver pulled in the jackpot long after the hands of the clock pointed to the hour of midnight.

Much of the enthusiasm that characterized the meeting on the adoption of the platform, has died away with the nomination of Weaver. They are all apprised of the fact that he is the weakest of all the alked of candidates. He is especially weak among the southern delegates, but C. C. Post is the man who first moved to make his nomination unanimous. Georgia's vote on roll call was cast for Senator Kyle by Delegate Wimberly. But later in the night, when Gresham's name was not allowed to be used, and many of his supporters were going to Weaver, Post arose and changed Georgia's vote to Weaver, and moved to make it unanimous.

They All Went Over.

This was received with wild applause and it was some time before quiet could be secured. All that remained was for the small opposition to flop over, and Weaver was the nominee to head the ticket for the people's party. It was done on a quick ballot.

With such strong men as Gresham, Powderly and others as possible candidates this morning, it seems that the party was destined to threaten the old parties, but everybody agrees that while Weaver is favored in this immediate section of the northwest, he is not the man to get the strength of the south, as Gresham or Powderly might have done.

Mr. Post changed Georgia's vote a second time. The men split with a determination to vote as they pleased, and they didn't want Weaver, though Post took authority to give it to him.

The vote was Weaver 995; Kyle 275; Page 1; and Norton 1.

General Field for Vice President.

In the race for the vice presidential nomination, Ben Terrell, of Texas, received 554, and General James Field, the one-legged [illegible] rate veteran of Virginia, receiv[illegible] votes, giving the nomination to G[illegible] eld.

The conve[illegible] n adjourned.

REMSEN CRAWFORD.

THE STORM[illegible]E CONVENTION

Loucks, of S[illegible]-Made Permanent

Convention [illegible], Neb., July 4.—(By Telegrap[illegible]stitution.)—"Your success seems [illegible] That was the inspiring message sent to each of the three leading candidates by their supporters in the people's party national convention just before the hour set for the battle to begin in earnest. Gresham's friends seemed increasingly tenacious and enthusiastic. General Secretary John W. Hayes, of the Knights of Labor, said the knights were determined to stand by Gresham and that the latter's friends believed him to be the nominee. George Washburne, of Massachusetts, manager of Senator Kyle's forces, was unqualifiedly claiming the nomination for the South Dakota man on the first ballot. To make the situation still more interesting General Weaver's disciplined corps were entirely undismayed and his brainy lieutenant, Mr. Terrill, of Texas, answered all inquiries with the remark, "Weaver is as solid as a rock."

At 8 o'clock, the early hour set for the opening of the convention, the delegations were scattered around among the seats within the rail enclosure and as many spectators were in the audience seats.

Temporary Chairman Ellington, however, pursued the directions to the letter and sharply on the minute called the convention to order and introduced William McCready of Buffalo Gap, Black Hills, who offered prayer. A glee club rendered music and then the convention waited while the belated delegates began to arrive and assemble. The glee club meanwhile sang more selections, while the booming of cannon outside the big coliseum told the delegates every few minutes that is was a national holiday.

At 8:45 o'clock enough delegates had arrived to warrant the call of the roll to ascertain whether or not a quorum was present. There was found to be a majority of the states present, but there was too much confusion to transact business and amid a storm of ayes a motion was carried at 9 o'clock that each state appoint a sergeant-at-arms to keep quiet in its own state.

There were calls for the chairman of the credentials committee, but he was not present, and it was some time before he could be found.

The newly-appointed sergeants-at-arms in the meanwhile succeeded in preserving order by clearing the aisle and pulling down over-enthusiastic delegates into their seats.

When the chairman of the credentials committee finally arrived he reported that the committee had found no contest. The report was received and it was decided that persons whose names were on the rolls should be declared entitled to seats.

Mr. Post, of Georgia, announced the arrival this morning of two side-tracked delegates from his state, making the delegation complete.

The committee on permanent organization announced its readiness to report and after the hubbub had been silenced submitted the following:

"Your committee on permanent organization begs leave to submit the following report: For permanent chairman, H. L. Loucks; of South Dakota. (Prolonged applause). For permanent secretary, J. W. Hayes; of New Jersey. (Applause). For assistant secretaries, S. S. King, of Kansas; George Wilson, of Michigan; G. W. Denhark, of South Carolina, and D. W. Monroe." Following this was a long list of vice presidents, each state being represented in the distribution of this honor.

The report was unanimously adopted, amid applause and Temporary Chairman Ellington at once introduced his successor. It was a picturesque spectacle when Permanent Chairman Loucks, standing firmly on his one leg, and swinging a crutch at arm's length, waved the great assemblage to order.

THE GAVEL PRESENTED.

The Speech of the Chairman Is of a Sensational Nature.

Omaha, Neb., July 4.—(By Telegraph to The Constitution.)—Chairman Loucks's speech as it progressed, was a surprise and a disagreeable one to perhaps a majority of the convention, but its impetuosity and fire, if not its hit for and against the candidates, elicited cheers at every few words.

The new gavel, announced as coming by permission of the owner from timber on the first homestead entry in the United States, was at this moment presented to the chairman. He rapped it vigorously on the desk amid laughter caused by the declaration that this gavel, unlike the one used at the recent republican national convention, had not been stolen and that an independent party did not require to steal either its thunder or its noise.

Speeches Are Made.

The time waiting for reports from the committee was again filled in with speeches to which the convention did not listen very patiently.

An Ore[illegible]on delegate claimed attention for a moment to present another gavel in honor of the people's party achievement in the Oregon state election.

The chairman returned brief thanks and amid cheering from all sides committee reports were announced as ready.

THE RULES PRESENTED.

A Novel Method of Voting for Candidates Proposed.

Omaha, Neb., July 4.—(By Telegraph to The Constitution.)—The committee on rules submitted the following:

Cushing's manuel shall be chosen to regulate the proceedings of this convention.

For the presentation of candidates for president and vice president the roll of states shall be called alphabetically.

Nominating speeches shall be limited to fifteen minutes, and remarks on all questions in debate shall be limited to five minutes.

In balloting the secretary shall call the roll of states and the chairman of each state shall announce the vote of his state, as called.

Each state delegation shall appoint its own tellers and collectors and count its own ballots, and its chairman shall announce the result to the convention. In case no nominee shall receive a majority on the first ballot a second shall be at once taken, wherein each delegate must write on his ballot the name of his first choice and his second choice, placing the names in the order of his choice. First choice, first, second choice, second, the first choice being counted as one vote and the second choice as half a vote. The two receiving the largest number of votes shall be voted on in a third ballot, the votes for other persons not being counted.

All resolutions offered before the convention shall be read and referred to the committee on resolutions without debate. Each state and territory shall be allowed a number of votes equal to the number of delegates reported by the committee on credentials.

The following shall be the order of business:

Announcement of names of the national committee. Report of the committee on platform and resolutions. The nomination of candidates for president. Balloting for candidates for president. Nomination of candidates for vice president. Balloting for candidates for vice president.

The Objections Raised.

Vociferous signs of disapproval greeted the reading of the paragraph governing the proposed new system of balloting. It was moved that the report of the committee be received, and that its recommendations be adopted.

"I object to that," said Mr. Samuel

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TAMMANY'S DAY.

The Sachems Celebrate the Fourth in a Royal Manner.

LETTER READ FROM CLEVELAND,

In Which He Outlines Some Lessons of the Day.

SENATOR DAVID B. HILL WRITES

Upon the Achievements of the Aggressive, Fighting, Dyed-in-the-Wool Democracy of the Empire State.

New York, July 4.—(Special Dispatch to The Constitution.)—This was a great day for the stalwart democracy of Tammany hall.

The men whose work makes democratic victory possible in New York were out in full force and cheered the speeches of the day.

Letter from Grover Cleveland.

The following letter was read from Grover Cleveland:

Gray Gables, Buzzards Bay, Mass., June 29, 1892.—Hon. Thomas F. Gilroy, Grand Sachem. Dear Sir: I acknowledge with thanks the courtesy of invitation to attend the celebration of the one hundred and sixteenth anniversary of American independence by Tammany Society on the Fourth of July next. It will be impossible for me to take part in the interesting exercises you contemplate, but I hope the celebration will be abundantly pleasant and profitable to those who are fortunately able to participate. I believe that Independence Day should be celebrated with zeal and enthusiasm by old and young in every part of our land and in every condition of American life. No man, woman or child within the limits of American citizenship should forget or outgrow sentiments related to the observance of the 4th day of July. Because there are influences and tendencies abroad, which tend to the neglect of this anniversary, the valuable and patriotic efforts of Tammany Society to rescue it from indifference ought to be universally applauded.

I notice that my invitation contains the declaration that this coming celebration by the society is designed to be of exceptional significance and extended effect. I have no fear that this design will miscarry, for I am satisfied that Tammany Society will not lose the opportunity the occasion affords to teach that the declaration of independence movement on the part of a people determined to govern themselves; that the patriotism it inspires enjoins the unselfish care of our country's welfare; that political endeavor is only safe and useful when undertaken in the people's interest, and that a political organization is only effective and successful when approved and trusted by an intelligent popular judgment. Yours very truly,

GROVER CLEVELAND.

Senator Hill's History of Democratic Work.

The letter sent by Senator Hill was a concise history of what the democrats of the state had accomplished. It was as follows:

United States Senate Chamber, Washington, D. C., July 1.—Hon. Thomas F. Gilroy and Others, Committee, etc.—Dear Sirs: Engagements made prior to the receipt of your letter prevent my acceptance of the committee's courteous invitation to be with the Tammany societies on the coming Fourth of July.

This year's celebration of the anniversary of our country's independence, preceding as it does an important political contest, involving the supremacy of the essential principles of our free government, may appropriately be made the occasion of a renewal of our faith in those cherished principles which have been for so many years faithfully championed by the intrepid democracy of Tammany hall.

In my judgment the hope of the people lies in the success of the democratic party. Better than any other political organization it protects their rights and represents their best interest. It has always been the defender of constitutional liberty and the reserved rights of the states. It opposes centralization, holds and maintains the doctrine that federal taxation should be for the public rather than for private purposes. It advocates honest money, gold and silver currency. It favors home rule for states and municipalities. It insists upon an honest and economical expenditure of the public moneys; it opposes force bills and federal interference in domestic affairs of state; it antagonizes monopolies; it is the friend of labor and it hates hypocracy, sham and fraud.

These tenets of our faith, thus epitomized, constitute a patriotic platform upon which every lover of his country may safely stand, and to which he may proudly declare his allegiance on his mother's birthday.

In the state of New York the democratic party, intrusted last winter for the first time in many years with the control of the legislature in both its branches, nobly redeemed its promises to the people. Its record speaks for itself. A simple enumeration of the inhabitants of the state as required by the constitution, rather than an expensive, complicated census, was promptly secured. A fair and just reappointment of the senate and assembly districts, a duty long and purposely neglected by our opponents soon followed, and hereafter the people of the state will be equitably represented in the legislature, and the majority, rather than the minority of the people, will make our laws. The congressional reappointment was duly perfected, whereby the growing portions of the state were accorded their proper representation in congress. A just and equitable excise law, reasonable and fair in its terms, was enacted. Provision was made for the enforcement of the privilege of religious liberty guaranteed to every citizen under the constitution. The tax laws were improved. The election laws were made substantially uniform. The rights of workingmen were protected by appropriate legislation. The lowest tax levy in thirty-six years, with the single exception of that of last year, was given the people as a result of democratic economy.

The business of the legislature was diligently transacted and the session was the shortest in over a quarter of a century.

The public affairs of the state are being administered with ability and fidelity by democratic servants of the people, from the distinguished governor of the state to the least important state official, all of whom are meeting the first expectation of the people, and merit their continued confidence.

Our course at the present time is plain. The democracy of New York in the approaching struggle should present a solid front to the common enemy. Loyalty to the cardinal democratic principles and the regularly nominated candidate is the supreme duty of the hour. I remain your fellow citizen,

DAVID B. HILL.

DATE FOR NOTIFICATION.

Mr. Cleveland Suggests the 20th as a Suitable Time.

Buffalo, N. Y., July 4.—A letter from Grover Cleveland was received today by Norman E. Mack, chairman of the subcommittee appointed by Hon. A. L. Wilson, chirman of the committee to notify Cleveland and Stevenson of their nomination, stating that the 20th instant would be a good day. Mr. Mack will call his committee together a day or two before that date in New York for the purpose of conferring with William C. Whitney and Mayor Hugh Grant, in whose hands the matter of making arrangements for the notification has been placed. Mr. Mack expects to hear from Adlai Stevenson in a day or two.

AT WASHINGTON MONUMENT.

How the Day Was Celebrated in the Federal Capital.

Washington, July 4.—Independence Day is being more generally observed in this city than ever before. Mercantile business is almost entirely suspended, the executive departments and municipal and private offices are all closed, and everybody who can do so is taking holiday. A large portion of the population of the city sought diversion by means of excursions on the river and picnics in the woods. The weather overhead is clear and cool. The Sons of the American Revolution and Sons of the Revolution held joint patriotic exercises appropriate to the day. The services began at Epiphany church at 9 o'clock, and were of a patriotic and religious character, including brief addresses by the chaplains of the respective organizations, Drs. McKim and Childs, and the rendition of patriotic hymns. At the conclusion of the indoor celebration the societies, escorted by the Washington Light Infantry corps, marched to Washington monument, where a volley of thirteen guns was fired. From a small platform erected near the monument the declaration of independence was read by Henry Bulkley, and short addresses were delivered by John Goode, of Virginia, and Henry Wise Garnett, of this city.

The members of the national board of managers of the society of Daughters of the American Revolution and members of the Mary Washington and Dolly Madison chapters of the society were also present at the church and in the monument ground, and participated in the exercises. The president and Private Secretary Halford were present during the exercises at the monument.

THEY TALKED SILVER.

There Was No Session, but Congressmen Discussed the Free Coinage Bill.

Washington, July 4.—There was but a corporal's guard of congress at the capitol today, but four-fifths of whom were members of the house, and they congregated mostly in the speaker's room. They included the speaker, Representatives Montgomery, Catchings, Dockery and the free coinage champions, Bland, of Missouri, and Williams, of Illinois. The meeting of those persons hardly assumed the formality of a conference, but the silver question came in for a share of serious discussion. The results so far as known were inconsequential. Mr. Bland, who is chairman of the committee on coinage, weights and measures, reached the city this morning. He says the bill, which is now on the speaker's table, will be referred to the committee tomorrow. A meeting of the committee will be called for the following day, and if the bill is not finally acted on then is is probable that daily meetings of the committee will be held until action is taken. Mr. Bland is very anxious to get the bill before the house promptly.

Accompanying the committee's report, which Mr. Bland has no doubt will be favorable, will probably be a request to have the committee on rules set aside a day for its consideration. Mr. Bland has no doubt whatever as to the ultimate passage of the bill by the house. Questioned as to the policy of such action in view of the declaration of the democratic convention on the question, elicited the response from Mr. Bland that he could speak only for himself and those members who came to Washington pledged to support free coinage, that it was good politics to be honest with the people.

AN ATTACK ON CLEVELAND.

The North Carolina Third Party People Are Hard at Work.

Raleigh, N. C., July 4.—(Special.)—W. R. Lindsay, chairman of the third party state executive committee, publishes a call to the chairmen of the various district and county committees to report to him at once, as he wishes to prepare for calling a state convention. With this puts at rest the doubts of those who have claimed that the third party would hold no state convention.

The third party organ today makes another savage attack on Cleveland, and is attempting to array all alliancemen against him. It attacks Congressman S. B. Alexander for saying that southern men must support Cleveland and fight the force bill. It says:

Some one is uneasy, or appears to be, about the force bill. It is a sorry spectacle if the great issue shall be, who will count the votes. These indications are that it will take both parties four years at least to count the people's party vote that will be cast this fall. New England democrats are the instigators of the latest on the force bill. Cleveland belongs to that crowd. The south and west will settle his and Harrison's force bill proclivities in November. The south and west are standing solidly against the force bill and its projectors, while Cleveland and his gang of Wall street cut throats, are backing the force bill crowd. The northeastern democrats, of which Cleveland is a fair sample, especially those in congress, have threatened the south with the passage of the bill. We have no fears about the force bill, but between it and Cleveland there is no difference.

THE M'TIGHE SURETIES.

They Are Held Responsible for the Default of Their Principal.

Macon, Ga., July 4.—(Special.)—A new feature of the well-known case of McLaughlin Bros. and other railroad contractors against McTighe & Co. came up this evening.

It will be remembered that when the subcontractors sought to put McTighe & Co. in the hands of a receiver some months ago, Messrs. H. J. Lamar, J. F. Hanson, E. B. Waters and a number of other prominent Macon people went on a bond for McTighe & Co., providing to pay the amount claimed, some $45,000, on deferred notes. McTighe & Co. failed to meet their obligations and the sureties were held responsible. About two weeks ago Messrs. Hanson & Lamar sought relief from the bond, but Judge Speer, in the United states court, decided against them.

This evening the United States marshal levied on the property of H. J. Lamar, J. F. Hanson and E. B. Waters and the legal advisement of the sale of the property for the next legal salesday has been advertised. While this tep is, of course, merely a matter of form, it will be interesting to note what the next step in this interesting suit will be.

THE KANSAS PLAN.

Democrats Will Endorse the Third Party Electors.

Topeka, Kan., July 4.—The result of the democratic county conventions held throughout the state to select delegates to the democratic state convention, which meets here Wednesday, shows that there is a great diversity of opinion. There are three classes. One favors the endorsement of the entire people's party state ticket, and another favoring the nomination of straight democrats only, and the third advocating the nomination of such of the people's party candidates as are acceptable to the democrats. On one point, however, the democrats are pretty well agreed, and that is that the people's party electoral ticket should receive the united support of the democratic party, that Kansas may be taken out of the republican column and the election of the president thrown into the house. More interest is attached to this convention than to any other held by the democrats in Kansas, for on its action will depend the outcome of the campaign in this state.

Death of Mr. O'Neal.

Americus, Ga., July 4.—(Special.)—Mr. John O'Neal, of Lumpkin, who came here several days ago for treatment, died today at the Windsor. He was a leading citizen and merchant of that town.

TELEGRAPH BREVITIES.

Hanlan beat Hosmer ten feet on the Connecticut river yesterday.

The ship Peter Stewart struck off Cheboyne Point, N. S., and drowned three persons.

In Perdido bay, Fla., a pleasure boat turned over, drowning W. A. Hightower and his son, James.

A negro was lynched in Walker county, Alabama, yesterday, for having assaulted two white women.

G. Frank Burrows, of Jacksonville, Fla., was killed yesterday by a negro draymen who wanted to take a holiday.

Two negroes in Walker county, Alabama, jail last night, for the murder of a white man, were hourly expecting to be lynched.

In a balloon ascension in Boston yesterday the elements were unpropitious. The balloon fell into the bay. Two men were killed and one is dying.

THE OPENING GUNS

Of the Campaign in the Fifth Congressional District

WERE FIRED IN DOUGLAS YESTERDAY.

Livingston, Hillyer, Hulsey, Small, All Fire Their Guns.

THREE ARE ANNOUNCED CANDIDATES,

While Colonel Bill Hulsey Is Regarded as a Possible Aspirant—Joe James's Speech—The Attendance.

Lithia Springs, Ga., July 4.—(Special.)—Two years ago the contest for the democratic nomination for congress from the fifth district began in Douglas county, and warm, short and decisive that battle proved to be.

In that contest Colonel Livingston was victorious, and today, by his own choosing, he began a second contest for the same prize, in the same good county where he commenced his first successful campaign.

The opening of the contest two years ago was warm, Judge Stewart and Colonel Livingston both talking out in the plainest sort of fashion, but in point of interest and picturesqueness it was not the equal of the battle royal in which the opening guns were fired across these smiling hills this very day.

Two years have wrought marked changes and made new issues. Every phase of the political situation is new, and new aspirants for political favors are before the people of the fifth.

The men who attended this giant gathering of democrats of four counties held here today are the men who listened to the florid appeals of Livingston and Stewart at Douglasville two years ago. These sturdy farmers—for most of them are farmers—remember well the time when the alliance chief appeared on the stump that day with the Ocala platform in his hand and debated like a lion with Judge Stewart.

Then the allisance stood solidly back of him, and yelled with delight at every point he scored. It was a great demonstration and it practically won the battle for the alliance.

But that's another story. The hearts of some of those same alliancemen have changed toward their then successful leader, and on yesterday he directed his appeals to save them from deserting the democratic party, instead of pleading with them to vote for the principles of the Ocala platform. The change had been wrought in two short years, but it was complete and radical enough for ten. Some of the same men who cried lustily for Colonel Livingston two years ago jeered at him today.

But the nerve and ability on the stump that brought Colonel Livingston through successfully two years ago helped him to win a victory for democracy today.

Beside the congressman from the fifth there were other veterans of democracy here who, with burning words and eloquent, plead with the farmers who heard them, to be true to the party.

The Old Veterans.

The occasion for the meeting here today was a reunion of the confederate veterans of Campbell and Douglas counties.

Colonel Livingston was first announced to speak to the veterans, it of course being understood that the speech was to be tinged with politics. Then the friends of Judge Hillyer, Colonel Hulsey, Colonel Milledge and Rev. Sam Small arranged for each of these gentlemen to be present. The presence of this wholesale array of political speakers gave the meeting more of a political aspect than that of a veterans' reunion.

The reunion was held at the chautauqua grounds, and early in the morning crowds began to come in from Cobb, Fulton, Douglas and Campbell counties.

The grizzled veterans, many with limbs missing, all grown gray, were there, and each survivor wore a red badge.

A special train came up from Atlanta, arriving here at 9:45 o'clock, and a big crowd came in on it.

Colonel Livingston, with his grip in hand, just from Washington, Colonel Hulsey, looking fresh in a natty new straw hat and Rev. Sam Small, accompanied by Mrs. Small, came up on the train.

Judge Hillyer came up Sunday night and was ready to greet the veterans with a handshake and a smile as they came in.

The Fun Commences.

It was 11 o'clock when the speakers, accompanied by Colonel Joe S. James, that invincible democratic fighter, and a number of veterans marched through the sinuous walks, skirted with pretty flower beds, that leads tot he chautauqua tabernacle.

The vast amphitheater was full of people, men, women, children and young damsels.

A dense black cloud that had threatened a disagreeable day had just lifted, revealing the glorious sunshine. As the group of speakers marched in front of the audience there was a deafening Fourth of July whoop.

Mr. John M. James, a veteran of the confederacy, wearing a red badge and leaning on crutches, called the great gathering to order.

Then a white-haired minister arose and lifted up his hands to command silence, and the immense audience stood up while he prayed. It was Rev. Mr. Byrington, an ex-soldier.

His Brother's Bee.

President John James followed Dr. Byington's prayer by a feeling speech, and many of the tender recollection his words called up forced tears to the eyes of his hearers. Even the speaker himself was affected and bent his head upon his crutch while he wiped away a tear.

After a beautiful speech upon the veterans of the war, Mr. James touched upon the political situation.

"I believe," said he, "that it is the duty of the democracy to re-elect Livingston, Moses and Everett to congress. For myself, I am Frank to say that I am for Colonel Livingston, and while having none but the kindest feelings for the gentlemen who aspire to succeed him, I believe they owe it to democracy to withdraw. My brother, and he is here, who has [illegible] honor to be a soldier, and Judge Hillyer, Col[illegible] and Sam Small should all retire and support him.

"Livingston has done what he said he'd do before we sent him to congress, and I'm in favor of his re-election."

This announcement created some surprise, particularly as Mr. James was not a Livingston man two years ago.

Hon. Millard Pinson, a candidate for the democratic nomination for the senate from this district, was introduced by Hon. Joe S. James. He made a fine speech and created an excellent impression.

A Veteran's Speech.

Colonel John Milledge, the gallant ex-confederate was received with a storm of applause as he stepped forward. His speech was purely to the veterans and there was not a word of politics in it. He paid a glowing tribute to southern chivalry and spoke in terms of unmeasured praise of the women of Dixie. The trembling words of Colonel Milledge stirred the fires of enthusiasm in the breasts of the veterans and the rebel yell was set up.

Colonel Hulsey's Speech.

Then came the speech of Colonel W. H. Hulsey, of Atlanta. The audience regarded him as a possible candidate for congress and paid unusual attention to his remarks.

In introducing Colonel Hulsey Colonel James announced that it had been agreed that Colonel Hulsey, Judge Hillyer, Rev. Sam Small and Colonel Livingston should each be allowed an hour to speak, they to speak in the order named.

Colonel Hulsey was never in finer trim. He was in good voice and a red badge was pinned on the lapel of his new coat.

He did not appear as a candidate, he said, but he came there to mingle with his old comrades and he was glad to be there.

With words which stirred every hearer, Colonel Hulsey spoke of the heroism and devotion of the southern soldier. Colonel Hulsey surpassed himself in his beautiful peroration upon the courage that characterized the soldiers of the confederacy. The enthusiasm his words created was wonderful. He went from the veterans to a discussion of politics. He regarded the force bill as the great overshadowing issue of the national campaign, and declared that the rights of southern freemen were menaced.

"The times are perilous," said he. "I believe that the whole purpose of the people's party is to divide the solid south. It is not the people that is leading you away. It is some vagabond politician.

"Go to the third party and be with them and if you do you are aiding the friends of the bayonets to tear down your liberties. An old soldier loathes a man who deserts his flag within sight of victory.

"Let me warn you that the people who are going off after the third party are following a mirage, a will o' the wisp, a jack o' lantern. I'm not a candidate for any office. I'm a plain peg-bottomed goober-grabbling Georgia rebel. I believe in democracy. I believe we will plant the flag of democracy on the national capitol and Grover Cleveland and democracy will give us the best administration the world ever saw.

"We haven't got money enough. The truth is we are bigger than the banks. But who, I ask, is more ready to remedy this than the democratic party? Is Mr. Post? Does any one know of this traveling politician ever doing a disinterested thing? He's here to tear down."

Colonel Hulsey closed by begging the third party men to come back to the democratic party.

As Colonel Hulsey sat down the band played a number, then Colonel Joe James arose to introduce Judge George Hillyer.

Wouldn't Take It Back.

But Colonel Hulsey who had taken his seat in the audience again arose and came forward.

"Here's a man," said he, "who says that if I said that a man could not vote the people's party ticket without sacrificing his principles, I had to take it back. I have talked about no one except Mr. Post, who is a leader. I meant what I said and have nothing to take back. If this gentleman wants to take it to himself he can do it."

The scene that followed this bold utterance was indescribable. The veterans jumped from their seats and surged forward to grasp Colonel Hulsey's hand, while yell after yell went up. A tall, gray-bearded veteran and a sturdy young democrat took Mr. Hulsey in their arms and literally carried him before the audience while they yelled derisively at the small knot of third partyites.

"No man," said the matchless and silver-tongued Joe James, his voice rising above the clamor, "can make a democrat take back the truth."

Then another wild scene ensued which lasted for some time.

Mr. James then introduced Judge Hillyer to the audience as a candidate for congress from this district.

Judge Hillyer made a great speech. It was the utterance of a broad-minded, conservative man. Not one word of villification or abuse did he utter, having none but words of kindness for his opponents. It was clean and free from the petty flings that politicians sometimes employ. Not a man in the vast audience could possibly have taken exception to Judge Hillyer's remarks.

"The great difference," said he, "in the democratic party and all other adversaries is the fact that it holds at its very foundation that the true office of government is merely to protect the citizen in his rights.

"I might indulge in a historical survey of the times before the war—times when democracy always contended for low tariff and low taxes. I might go over the time when Andrew Jackson was president; when he swore by the eternal that the rights of the citizen were greater than those of banks.

"But, coming down to modern times! The two great questions pressing upon public attention is, first the tariff; second, the enormous pensions paid to federal soldiers. These questions interest all sections, but menace us at the south more than any other section."

Judge Hillyer then went into a discussion of the enormities of the robber tariff, after which he went back to the pensions.

"When," said he, "the pension proposition was first made we were told that it would be kept in proper bounds and regulated. General Grant said that when it went beyond $50,000,000 it would be a steal. Well it is now $100,000,000 annually. Where do they get the money? It comes from the body of the people and goes to the federal soldiers at the north. The poor deluded third party man bears his share of the burden. The duty is upon us to mitigate these evils and abolish them if possible.

"I had the honor to be present at Chicago when Cleveland and Stevenson were nominated. As illustrative of the great strength of the democratic party there was not a solitary vacancy in the convention. The body held its deliberations and there was a unanimity of action and strength of purpose I never saw equalled. What kind of contingency did they represent? They represented a majority of the people of this country. A majority of all the votes in the United States from the election of Tilden down to the present time have been cast for the democratic ticket, but through the machinery of the electoral college the republican party has been counted in. I make bold to say that four-fifths of the voters of America are with the democratic party. Then is it wise to throw aside such strength for a new party? No room for its strength? What of its principles? What are [illegible] expressions on the [illegible] There it is in plain black and white, straddling on [illegible] tariff. How [illegible] tariff. [illegible]

not a new convent to tariff reform, and he read from the proceedings of the national democratic convention of 1884, showing a resolution introduced by him in that line.

He again recurred to the subject of pensions. He spoke of the attitude of the democratic platform on the subject, and also quoted from the republican platform. He said the third party proposes to turn around and pay all these pensions again. It was a proposition that no intelligent man could favor.

"I don't know," said he, "what they'll do at Omaha today, but whatever they do they can't get over that expression on the pension business. If they entertained these opinions once, they entertain them yet. They may take it out for policy's sake, but it will be like the secret dagger of Joab, hid under a mantle to stab you when you are not looking."

As to His Candidacy.

Speaking of his candidacy, Judge Hillyer said, in closing:

"I did not intend mentioning my candidacy if it had not been mentioned. I'd rather let people judge for themselves. I have been a candidate before the people and was never beaten. I have always tried to behave, and no man on earth can say that I ever hurt his feelings. I am a candidate for congress and if you elect me I'll serve you to the best of my ability. I'm a democrat, and whether I'm nominated or not has nothing to do with my democracy. I have been in the democratic party all my life and I expect to die in it.

"I say it modestly; I don't know why all classes should not unite upon my candidacy. What I seek to do is to do my duty. You shall always find me, whether in the successful station or not, the same, the square man, trying to do my duty, as I have always tried to do it before." (Great applause.)

After Judge Hillyer's speech the crowd was adjourned until 2:30 o'clock for dinner. A magnificent, old-time barbecue, just like political gatherings in ye olden time enjoyed, was spread before the hungry multitude.

Rev. Sam Small Talks.

The crowd at the chautauqua tabernacle was even larger in the afternoon than in the forenoon, and when Rev. Sam Small arose he was greeted by well-filled seats.

It was the Sam Small of olden days, the side whiskers were gone.

His face was pallid and bloodless, but his eyes sparkled as brightly as ever. In his clergyman's coat and immaculate linen the Rev. Sam Small presented a striking figure.

He spoke of the day and the grand significance of it in a polished and elegant way peculiarly happy and entirely his own. He let fall many pretty figures of speech that enraptured his hearers. He spoke beautifully of the heroes of the south and brought forth many a cheer. He said it was fitting that this, the day of liberty, should be chosen for a reunion of the old exconfederates—fitting because the day was rich with the suggestion of those fundamental and eternal truths for which they had fought.

Turning to Mr. John James he said:

"Sir, the tears you shed this morning were manly and honorable tokens. I honor you for them. Those tears might well have graced with a jeweled sorrow the cheeks of Caesar, or shone with honor in the eyes of Alexander as they lamented their most valorous legions slain in battle."

He made this reference to the soldiers' home, which evoked thunderous applause:

"I thank God I had the honor to publicly protest, in the Atlanta mass meeting, against the lamentable niggardness that denied the old soldiers of the gray the comforts and shelter of the confederate home. I was for the appropriation then—I am yet and will be until it is made in full.

"But to come to the living present. I have been presented to you as a candidate for congress. I am put before you by that large and respectable portion of our citizens who believe that one of the paramount issues of the hour is the suppression of the liquor traffic."

He spoke briefly of the evils of the liquor traffic, and the great moral ruin which it wrought. He turned his battery upon the democratic banner, and attacked the sumptuary plank. He discussed the plank at some length in his inimitable way.

He turned next to the political situation and rediculed the speakers who had gone before him. He said it was not the assaults that was hurting the party; it was the exodus; and the exodusters were the democrats who were born and reared in the party.

He defended the action of those men who were leaving the democratic party and said:

"Argue with them, reason with them, but be sure you cannot longer deceive or drive them at your pleasure. The people are moving and they will be heard."

He was in favor of free trade, tariff reform and the abolition of the internal revenue.

He said, "Talk about Cleveland being against federal pensions. It was the pride and the boast of the democratic party four years ago that Grover Cleveland had paid more pensions that had been paid by Grant, Garfield and Arthur combined."

Here Mr. Joe James arose and took issue with him, but sat down and waited until Mr. Small concluded. Mr. Small concluded briefly and Mr. James arose.

"This effort to which you have just listened to straddle all parties," said he, "won't go with this people. Sam Small is not a democrat. He's trying to deceive the people." He then read from the platform of 1888 the attatude of the democracy on pensions.

He then discussed the pension business for a few moments, explaining Mr. Cleveland's position. He said Small had quoted 1888 the attitude of the democracy on democrat.

Livingston Speaks.

Congressman Livingston was introduced as a true democrat, who would never desert his colors. The audience gave him a grand ovation. The knot of the third party men who had been cheering Mr. Small's speech, arose and left. The audience called out to them, "Don't run—don't be cowards," but the third party people left, and Colonel Livingston smilingly said, "Let 'em go."

Colonel Livingston first addressed himself to the veterans, paying the usual tribute to their heroism and faithfulness. "I volunteered," said he, "twice before there was any conscript act passed, and helped to make Bill Hulsey major of the Sixth Georgia.

"When the proposition to accept the veterans home was defeated in the legislature they said: 'Livingston did it.' It has become common to charge all the meanness in this country to Livingston. I went before the 270 alliance members of that legislature and begged them to accept the home. I have been misrepresented about that by some newspapers. But I don't care. It give me a free 'ad.,' but I know that newspapers don't fool with a dead duck.

"I am going to make a different speech from any you have heard. Brother Hillyer got up here and said there were only two questions before us—the tariff and pensions. The pension business is no national question. Both parties stand committed to honest and fair pensions. The tariff question is not the greatest question in the south. I wish to God it was. Ah, I wish I could stand here today and say that it was. It's the question of self-government that most concerns us. It's the question of whether you shall go to the ballot box and put in your vote at the point of the bayonet or not. If you give the republican party the force bill they care nothing for the currency and the tariff and pensions. The great question, I say, is whether you and I shall vote as we please or not.

"There has been some specific class legislation against the laboring people of this country, but I defy any man to charge it to the democratic party. I want to reason with you. I want to talk to you as a friend. You cannot put your finger on a single act done by a democratic senate or house against the laboring people.

"I'm with Brother Small on free silver. The silver bill was passed by the senate last week, and now we are going to pass it in the house.

About Fusing.

"They tell you you must fuse with the democratic party, you people's party people. They tell you here that it won't do in Douglas county. They fused in Kansas the other day. If it is good to fuse in Kansas, why ain't it good in Georgia?

"Now they tell you that I have betrayed you. I want Judge Hillyer to hear this—he's running against me, for no other reason that I know of but that he wants the office, in violation of that unwritten democratic law that a democrat shall have two terms in congress unless he does something wrong. They charge that I am a traitor. Now, if a single man here will put his finger on a single unkept pledge of mine, and prove it, I'll never offer for office again while I live—never. Stand up, if there is such a man. In addition, I'll give you $100 to prove it. That's a standing offer.

"I lead you two years successfully. I took abuse more than any other man here and on the floors of congress. You got mad with me because I wouldn't follow you. If you elect me leader and won't follow me, you've got to get another leader.

"All can hope to do with the third party is to capture North Carolina and perhaps Tennessee and thus defeat Mr. Cleveland. There's no relief in it. You might as well hang it out upon a grape vine to dry and gather up its dust. If you had staid in the democratic party you could have captured the last state convention and elected every democrat to Chicago. Judge Hillyer wouldn't have gone either, for he's an anti-silver man. You would have sent free silver men and David B. Hill men.

"Small speaks of the tariff business as a mere matter of moonshine. He says we can't reform it. We've already given you free bagging and ties and free wool. We intend to reform the tariff, not on the Mills plan, because we can't pass it.

"The democratic party hasn't put one iota of class legislation on this country since the war, and I want Sam Small to hear it, and defy him to disprove it. 'Oh, but,' they say, 'why haven't we defeated more?'

"Sam Small, if you were in the middle of the river, and I was standing on the banks calling to you to swim ashore, you would feel like cursing me, even if you are a preacher. We are in the midst of the stream, trying to swim ashore.

"If you can't vote for me let me beg of you to vote for some other democrat.

"Now, so far as my candidacy is concerned, it is my duty to render to you an account of my stewardship. I never failed to vote for a democratic measure. I never went to a horse race. I don't know where they play baseball at."

He spoke of the Ocala platform and said it was as good democracy as Thomas Jefferson every penned. Its declaration for government control of railroads, for more money, graduated income tax and the election of United States senators by popular vote of the people—that's sound democracy.

"Cleveland was not my choice for president. He is the last man I would have voted for. I knew he was honest and had convictions, and those convictions I knew to be unalterable, and they were against your views and mine on the silver question."

He closed by a mighty appeal to the people to go to the polls and vote soberly and honestly. "Vote for what is right," he said, "and I will not chide you."

Upon the conclusion of his speech many pressed forward to shake Colonel Livingston's hand and assure him of support.

Chairman James announced that Governor Northen was unavoidably absent, being called elsewhere on business.

After the speaking there was a dance in the chautauqua hall in which many participated.

The politicians and voters lingered outside talking over things confidentially. When the sun had bent far toward the west many teams were seen wending their several ways over the country roads leading out from Lithia Springs.

The farmers were reflecting and revolving in their minds what they had heard. What will be evolved out of those reflections between now and November the result on election day will have to tell.

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THE OMAHA CONVENTION.

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Williams, of Indiana, "and move to strike out the report of that part which relates to second choice for president."

"As I understand that recommendation," said Mr. Brown, of Massachusetts, "you will limit this nomination to two candidates and put yourself in a position where, at no subsequent time, are you at liberty to retire both of them in favor of some new candidate."

"We understand that," shouted several delegates.

"Very well," said Mr. Brown.

A vote was then taken on the adoption of this recommendation, and it was declared carried by acclamation.

Mr. Lee, of Oregon, desired to limit nominating speeches to five minutes instead of fifteen, but the convention, just at the moment, was more vitally interested in a serious question—how to conduct the balloting.

Another Mine Sprung.

At this juncture the question of amending the rules of the committee report to strike out the provision regarding second choice was sprung in another form. Mr. Vandervoort, of Nebraska, opposed the provision for the retirement of candidates with only a small following.

"We believe," said he, "that any man that has the choice should be permitted to exercise that choice without being muzzled, and that that man can stay in and be voted on even if he has only one vote until the crack of doom."

He then proposed an amendment striking out the clause of the rules providing that after the second ballot all candidates except two leaders shall be retired and inserting a provision that when balloting begins candidates shall be voted for until there was a choice.

This amendment prevailed by a large majority, so the rules as to balloting are in accordance with customary rules in national conventions on this matter.

WATCHING THE PARADE.

A Recess Taken to Enjoy a Fourth of July Spectacle.

Omaha, Neb., July 4.—(By Telegraph to The Constitution.)—A recess of twenty minutes was then taken to witness the Fourth of July parade. There was some protest from delegates who wished to rush business, but the motion for a recess was carried, when it was stated that courtesy due the citizens of Omaha required it. There was a good deal of disorder in the reassembling of the convention after the parade intermission, and the twenty minutes' recess proved nearly an hour long, a part of the time being taken up with one of the numerous songs born out of the growth of the new party.

The Railroads Discussed.

The convention finally got to work, and the roll of states was called for.

A storm was precipitated by Chairman Branch, of the resolutions committee, offering a resolution calling attention to the fact that "probably through some oversight the ticket agents on the line of the Union Pacific railway did not receive instructions to allow delegates to the convention the usual reduction in fares, and appointing a committee of three to communicate with the railway officials to have the mistake rectified.

A delegate moved that the Northen Pacific and Great Northern roads be included in the resolution. Instantly Marion Cannon, of California, rose to protest against the resolution as exhibiting a want of independent spirit in the convention. His vehement denunciation of the roads brought the audience to its feet several times, and led to the liveliest scene of the day.

"I want this convention to understand," he said, "that it is not by accident or oversight that the Pacific coast delegates have been overlooked. Our request for the customary courtesy was denied deliberately and with insolence. I do not want this convention, so far as California is concerned, and so far as I am concerned, to go back to that railroad company, cap in hand, and ask for any privileges whatever. (Tumultuous applause.) The democrats and republicans secured half fare, but we, not connected with the railroads, but producers of the earth, have been refused equal terms. We can stand the refusal." (Cheers.)

Up to this time Mr. Cannon showed evidence of his feeling by the increasing tremulousness of his voice. Now he grew livid with passion, as he swung his hat in the air and declared in tones that rang from end to end of the hall that "We can tell those railroad companies that the people will own and operate those roads yet."

Here the enthusiasm and passion of the speaker extended to the audience. Every member rose and cheers rent the air, handkerchiefs were waved, and it was several moments before the speaker could conclude.

Referred to the Commission.

Mr. Dean, of New York, grasped the matter to make politics out of it. There was an interstate commission, and he moved that the resolution be brought before that organization to see whether the law permitted the railroads to discriminate in favor of one national political convention against another.

"Let's use this for the purpose of the political campaign," he said.

The motion to make complaint to the commission was carried.

The committee on resolutions was still wrestling with the platform, and on the statement that it would be two hours before it could report, a recess was taken until 2 o'clock p. m.

SINGING TO PASS OFF TIME.

How the Convention Entertained Itself During Recess.

Omaha, Neb., July 4.—(By Telegraph to The Constitution.)—It was a rare song: The robber of old was simple and bold,
And rarely put on any frills;
But the robber of today has a different way,
And the taxpayers foot the bills.

That was the song, to the tune of "Robin Hood," which greeted the delegates and spectators as they filed into the big coliseum for the afternoon session.

Get off, get off the earth;
You have lived your day, I wot,

was the successor to "The taxpayers foot the bills." They were sung from the stage with spirit by a phenomenal glee club, and were received with enthusiasm.

Half a dozen other lively airs followed, one being accompanied by a kicking shuffle of the feet, as if the bosses saw, with prophetic vision, the general propulsion of an invisible army of office holders of the old parties making an involuntary exodus.

These songs served the double purpose of keeping the audience in a good humor and in the semblance of order. It was 2 o'clock when Chairman Loucks called the convention to order, but it was after 3 o'clock p. m. before all the delegates and visitors had secured sats and the raps of the chairman had resulted in even the beginning of business. The immense hall was almost completely filled. It was very sultry, and fully a third of the delegates were in their shirt sleeves.

THE PLATFORM READ.

The Preliminary Skirmishing Was Quite Lively.

Omaha, Neb., July 4.—(By Telegraph to The Constitution.)—A motion was carried that the resolution committee report such parts of the platform as were ready, and that these be considered while other parts of the platform were being prepared. This was apparently the first move on the part of the Weaver men to hasten a ballot. The suspicion had gained currency that the committee on resolutions was not anxious to make very speedy progress, for the reason that it, as a whole, preferred Judge Gresham as a candidate, and wanted time to get an agreement from him that he would let the convention nominate him.

The motion was carried, but the committee reported that it was not prepared just yet to make a partial report.

Then an effort was made to proceed at once to nominations, and another to adopt the St. Louis platform without further delay.

They Come In.

These movements becoming known to the resolutions committee stampeded them, and they soon filed upon the stage with a platform hastily concluded, and it was read as follows:

Assembled upon the 116th anniversary of the declaration of independence, the people's party of America, in their first national convention, invoking upon their action the blessing of the Almighty God, puts forth, in the name and on behalf of the people of this country, the following preamble and declaration of principles:

The conditions which surround us best justify our co-operation; we meet in the midst of a nation brought to the verge of moral, political and material ruin. Corruption dominates the ballot box, legislatures, congress, and touches even the ermine of the bench. The people are demoralized; most of the states have been compelled to isolate voters at polling places to prevent universal intimidation or bribery. Newspapers are largely subsidized or muzzled; public opinion silenced; business prostrated; our homes covered with mortgages; labor impoverished; and the land concentrating in the hands of capitalists. The urban workmen are denied the right of organization for self-protection; imported pauperized labor beats down their wages; a hireling standing army, unrecognized by our laws, is established to shoot them down, and they are rapidly degenerating into European conditions. The fruits of the toil of millions are boldly stolen to build up colossal fortunes for a few, unprecedented in the history of mankind; and the possessors of these in turn despise the republic and endanger liberty. From the same prolific womb of governmental injustice, we breed two great classes—tramps and millionaires. National power to create money is appropriated to enrich bondholders; a vast public debt payable in legal tender currency has been funded into gold bearing bonds, thereby adding millions to the burdens of the people. Silver, which has been accepted as coin since the dawn of history, has been demonetized to add to the purchasing power of gold by decreasing the value of all forms of property as well as human labor, and the supply of currency is purposely abridged to fatten usurers, bankrupt enterprise and enslave industry. A vast conspiracy against mankind has been organized on the two continents and it is rapidly taking possession of the world. If not met and overthrown at once it forebodes terrible social convulsions, the destruction of civilization or the establishment of an absolute despotism.

We have witnessed for more than a quarter of a century the struggles of two great political parties for power and plunder, while grievous wrongs have been inflicted upon the suffering people. We charge that the controlling influence dominating both these parties has permitted the existing dreadful conditions to develop without serious effort to prevent or restrain them. Neither do they now promise us any substantial reform. They have agreed together to ignore in the coming campaign every issue but one. They propose to drown out the cries of the plundered people with the uproar of a sham battle over the tariff, so that capitalists, corporations, national banks, rings, trusts, watered stock, demonetization of silver and the oppression of the usurers may all be lost sight of. They propose to sacrifice our homes, lives and children on the altar of mammon; to destroy the multitude in order to secure corruption funds from millionaires.

Assembled on the anniversary of the birthday of the nation and filled with the spirit of the grand general-in-chief who established our independence we seek to restore the government of the republic to the hands of "the plain people," with whose class it originated.

We assert our purposes to be identical with the purposes of the national constitution—to form a more perfect union and establish justice, insure domestic tranquility, provide for the common defense, promote the general welfare and secure the blessings of liberty for ourselves and our posterity. We declare that this republic can only endure as a free government while built upon the love of the whole people for each other, and for the nation; that it cannot be pinned together by bayonets; but the civil war is over and that every passion and resentment which grew out of it must die with it, and that we must be in fact, as we are in name, one united brotherhood.

Our country finds itself confronted by conditions for which there are no precedents in the history of the world. Our annual agricultural productions amount to billions of dollars in value, which must within a few weeks or months, be exchanged for billions of dollars of the commodities consumed in their production.

The currency supply is wholly inadequate to make the exchange. The results are failing prices; formations of combines and rings; and the impoverishment of the producing class.

We pledge ourselves that if given power we will labor to correct these evils by wise and reasonable legislation in accordance with the terms of our platform. We believe that the powers of government—in other words of the people—should be expanded, as in the case of the postal service, as rapidly and as far as the good sense of an intelligent people and the teachings of expense shall justify, to the end that oppression, injustice and poverty shall eventually cease in the land. While our sympathies, as a party of reform, are naturally upon the side of every proposition which will tend to make men intelligent, virtuous and temperate, we nevertheless regard these questions—important as they are—as secondary to the great issues now pressing for solution and upon which not only our individual prosperity but the very existence of free institutions depend, and we ask all men to first help us to determine whether we are to have a republic to administer, before we differ as to the conditions upon which it is to be administered, believing that the forces of reform this day organized will never cease to move forward until every wrong is righted and equal rights and equal privileges securely established for all the men and women of this country.

We declare, therefore:

1. That the union of the labor forces of the United States this day consummated shall be permanent and perpetual. May its spirit enter into all hearts for the salvation of the republic and the uplifting of mankind.

2. Wealth belongs to him who creates it, and every dollar taken from industry without an equivalent is robbery. "If any will not work, neither shall he eat." The interests of rural and civic labor are the same; their enemies are identical.

3. We believe that the time has come when railroad corporations will either own the people or the people must own the railroads; and should the government enter upon the work of owning and managing all railroads, we should favor an amendment to the constitution by which all persons engaged in the government service shall be placed under a civil service reculation of the most rigid character, so as to prevent an increase of the power of the national administration by the use of such additional government employes.

We demand a national currency, safe, sound and flexible, issued by the general government only; a full legal tender for all debts, public and private, and that without the use of banking corporations; a just, equitable and efficient means of distribution direct to the people at a tax not to exceed 2 per cent per annum to be provided as set forth in the sub-treasury plan of the Farmers' Alliance, or a better system; also by payment in discharge of its obligations for public improvement.

(a.) We demand the free and unlimited coinage of silver and gold at the present legal ration of 16 to 1.

(b.) We demand that the amount of circulating medium be speedily increased to not less than $50 per capita.

(c.) We demand a graduated income tax.

(d.) We believe that the money of the country should be kept as much as possible in the hands of the people, and hence we demand that all state and national revenues shall be limited to the necessary expenses of the government, economically and honestly administered.

(e.) We demand that postal savings banks be established by the government for the safe deposit of the earnings of the people and to facilitate exchange.

Transportation being a means of exchange and a public necessity, the government should own and operate railroads in the interest of the people.

(a.) The telegraph, telephone, like the post-office system, being a necessity for the transmission of news, should be owned and operated by the government in the interest of the people.

Land, including all natural sources of wealth, is the heritage of the people and should not be monopolized for speculative purposes, and alien ownership of land should be prohibited. All land now held by the railroads and other corporations, in excess of their actual needs, and all lands now owned by aliens should be reclaimed by the government and held for actual settlers only.

Mr. Branch, of Georgia, read the platform proposed. The strong sentences, picturing graphically the ruin of the country unless there was reform, were well received and met approbation, but when the sentences relating to the government ownership of transportation in the people's interest was reached there was a demonstration which interrupted progress. The reading of nearly every plank of the platform proper met with some applause. The free silver plank was enthusiastically greeted with cheers and the waving of hats, and the government ownership of railroads plank again got tumultuous greeting, in which it was noticeable that Nebraska, Georgia, Kansas and Texas led. The applause and cries of "amen" from all parts of the house was the reception accorded the paragraph favoring government control of telephone and telegraph lnies.

A regular camp meeting chorus greeted the land plank. The conclusion of the reading of the platform was warmly greeted. Its adoption was instantly moved, and though a Missouri delegate was striving from some unknown purpose to get recognition, it was put through by unanimous consent, the whole convention rising in advance of the chair and adopting the platform almost before he could put the motion for its adoption.

THE NIGHT SESSION.

A Set of Resolutions Supplementary to the Platform.

Omaha, July 4.—By unanimous consent the rules were suspended and a motion to adjourn till 8 o'clock p. m. prevailed. Delegates were prompt in arriving for the night session and they were all nervous and expectant owing to a lack of positive and final information as to the possibility of an acceptance of the nomination of Judge Gresham. The audience was a large one.

The first actual business was the reading, by Chairman Branch, of the resolutions committee, of a supplement to the platform as follows:

"Whereas, Other questions have been presented for our consideration, we hereby submit the following, not as a part of the platform of the people's party, but as resolutions expressive of the sentiment of this convention:

"That we demand a free ballot and fair count in all elections and pledge ourselves to secure it to every legal voter without federal intervention through the adoption by the states of the unperverted Australian secret ballot system.

"2. That the revenue derived from the graduated income tax should be applied to the reduction of the burden of taxation now levied upon the domestic industries of this country.

"3. That we pledge our support to fair and liberal pensions, to ex-union soldiers and sailors.

"4. That we condemn the fallacy of protecting American labor under the present system which opens our ports to the pauper and criminal classes of the world and crowds out our wage earners, and we denounce the present ineffective laws against contract labor and demand further the restricken of undesirable immigration.

"5. That we cordially sympathize with the effort of organized workingmen to shorten the hours of labor and demand a rigid enforcement of the existing eight hour law on the government work and ask that a penalty clause be added to said law.

"6. That we regard the maintenance of a large standing army of mercenaries, known as the Pinkerton system as a menace to our liberties and we demand its abolition and we condemn the recent invasion of the territory of Wyoming with hired assassins of plutocracy, assisted by federal officers.

"7. That we commend to the thoughful consideration of the people and reforme press the legislative system known as initiative and referendum.

"8. We favor the national provision limiting the office of president and vice president to one term and providing for the election of senators by the direct vote of the people.

"9. That we oppose any subsidy or national aid to any corporation for any purpose."

The immigration plank and anti-Pinkerton plank were loudly cheered. When the first paragraph—that alluding to the force bill and Australian ballot—was read a delegate moved to lay it on the table. They already had the St. Louis platform, he said.

The motion got a second, but was beaten on a vote, nearly the whole convention voting nay. The immigration plank and anti-Pinkerton plank were applauded loudly.

Mr. Branch introduced Hugh Cavanaugh, of Ohio, who read the following resolution, which was unanimously adopted by the committee:

"Resolved, That this convention sympathizes with the Knights of Labor, with their righteous contest with the tyrannical combine of clothing manufacturers of Rochester, and declares it to be the duty of all who hate tyranny and oppression to refuse to purchase goods made by said manufacturers or to patronize any branch who sells such goods."

Mr. Perth, of Texas, moved to table the resolution, and Mr. Dean, of New York, to divide it. The first part expressing sympathy, he wanted to vote for, but not for the boycott.

"Cyclone" Davis, of Texas, was for the boycott.

Ignatius Donnelly declared that the resolution was in keeping with the spirit of the principles of the platform adopted with so much unanimity earlier in the day. A Kansas delegate moved the previous question, and on a rising vote the motion to strike out the boycott clause was overwhelmingly defeated. The resolution was then adopted by acclamation.

WEAVER NOMINATED.

The Iowan Gets the Nomination on the First Ballot.

Omaha, July 4.—Then came the roll-call of states for the presentation of candidates for president. The first state—Alabama—was scarcely spouted by the secretary when J. H. Nanning arose and promptly placed in nomination General James B. Weaver, of Iowa, amid prolonged applause. An enthusiastic delegate from California said his state was divided on the presidency, but that he would vote for Weaver. The place of Colorado was yielded to S. F. Norther, of Illinois, who placed Senator Kyle, of South Dakota, in nomination.

A Connecticut delegate said he would present one who came from the state which gave us Washington and Jefferson, General Field, of Virginia.

Stephen H. Bachor, of Illinois, pastor of the Progressive church, said that the people's party was founded on principle, not men, and it demanded as leaders the biggest, brainest and squarest men in the party fold. That was Senator VanWyck, of Nebaska. (Cheers.)

The principal speech for Weaver was made by Morris L. Wheat, of Iowa. Mr. Lease, of Kansas, seconded Weaver's nomination.

Ex-Governor Rogers, of Massachusetts, nominated Munn Page, of Virginia.

At this juncture Indiana, which had asked to be passed on the first call, declared for Weaver.

The Virginia delegation also withdrew the name of its son and declared unanimously in favor of General Weaver.

From the very beginning of the roll call, Weaver led all of his competitors and so overwhelmingly was the vote cast for him, that his nomination was practically assured before the ballot was half completed. The Weaver infection seemed to spread as state after state cast its vote unanimously for the Iowan. The Weaver people grew wildly enthusiastic, the culmination coming when the result was announced, the cheering being loud and long continued.

The first ballot for president resulted as follows, only one ballot necessary, Weaver being successful beyond cavil:

Alabama—Weaver, 43. Arkansas—Yeaver, 12; Kyle, 20. California—Weaver, 2; Colorado—Weaver, 6; Kyle, 10. Connecticut—Weaver, 8; Kyle, 12. Delaware—Weaver, 1. Florida—Weaver, 18. Georgia—Weaver, 13; Kyle, 39. Idaho—Weaver, 12. Illinois—Weaver, 41; Kyle, 42. Indiana—Weaver, 54; Kyle, 5; Norton, 1. Iowa—Weaver, 2. Kansas—Weaver, 40. Kentucky—Weaver, 40. Louisiana—Weaver, 32. Maine—Weaver, 6; Kyle, 2. Massachusetts—Weaver, 9; Kyle, 18; Page, 1. Michigan—Weaver, 56. Minnesota—Weaver, 27; Kyle, 9. Mississippi—Weaver, 27. Missouri—Weaver, 61; Kyle, 7. Montana—Kyle, 12. Nebraska—Weaver, 23; Kyle, 8. Nevada—Kyle, 7. New Jersey—Weaver, 4. New York—Weaver, 59. North Carolina—Weaver, 29; Kyle, 5. North Dakota—Weaver, 12; Kyle, 1. Ohio—Weaver, 30; Kyle, 22. Oregon—Weaver, 10. Pennsylvania—Weaver, 29; Stanford, 1. South Dakota—Weaver, 1; Kyle, 15. Tennessee—Weaver, 45. Texas—Weaver, 30. Virginia—Weaver, 48. Washington—Weaver, 16. West Virginia—Weaver, 10. Wisconsin—Weaver, 7; Kyle, 41. Wyoming—Weaver, 9. District of Columbia—Weaver, 8.

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MR. CHARLEY KEITH SUCCEEDS HIMSELF.

It Was the Fourth of July, but the Council Decided It Was Legal to Hold The Election.

There was a short meeting of the city council yesterday morning in the chamber of commerce, but though short in duration, it was lively enough in point of interest, and several important matters were transacted.

The salary of the city tax assessor was raised from $1,500 to $1,800 a year, and the amount was ordered to be paid in monthly installments.

Mr. Charley Keith, the genial and clever official who has been one of the assessors for several years, was elected to succeed himself, and the manner of his election was in the highest degree complimentary to his services. There was nothing but admiration for his efficient and satisfactory work during the past year, and the unanimity of the council's action was characterized by the emphasis with which they voted for his re-election.

The legality of meeting on the 4th of July—the day set apart for observing the declaration of independence—was heatedly discussed. It was insisted that the council could only meet and adjourn over to another day, and that any other action of the body would be illegal and unauthorized.

The reports of the city comptroller and the commissioner of public works was read and referred.

The Meeting in Detail.

The meeting was called to order promptly at 10 o'clock by Mayor Pro Tem Reinhardt, Mayor Hemphill being in New York.

The order of the mayor pro tem, calling the meeting, was then read, after the calling of the roll.

As soon as the order was read, Mr. Shropshire arose and raised the question of illegality.

"It is not legal," said he, "to hold a meeting of the council today for the transaction of regular business. It is furthermore not the hour for the council to be in session, and several of the members, anticipating that there would be no regular meeting today, left the city with the intention of coming back tomorrow. If we act today in the usual manner and transact the affairs that will come up before the council, we incur, by so doing, the liability of having our proceedings declared ineffectual."

The mayor pro tem replied that he had conferred with the city attorney, and that he had given it as his opinion that the meeting of the council was perfectly legal.

Mr. Hill and Mr. Turner also gave it as their opinion, from law and precedent, that the meeting was legal, and the question was decided in favor of its legality.

It required, however, a suspension of the rules to change the hour of meeting from 3 o'clock in the afternoon until 10 o'clock in the morning, and he moved that the rules be suspended.

Mr. Holbrook then asked for the privilege of introducing an ordinance, which was granted, and the ordinance was read.

It provided for an increase of the salary now paid the city tax assessor, making it $1,800 instead of $1,500 a year, and authorizing the amount to be paid in monthly installments. He stated in support of the ordinance that the books of the assessor during the past year had been faithfully kept, and that if the position was worth anything it was certainly worth the increased amount. The limits of the city had been extended since the last ordinance was passed, fixing the assessor's salary, and that the work of the office was thereby considerably multiplied.

Mr. Sawtell opposed the ordinance, saying that the council had made itself notorious by raising the salaries of different officers, and that if the raise was kept up the council would soon be in the fix of the negro fiddler who kept tuning up his instrument until the strings broke.

"It is now time," said he, "for the council to be tuning down on the matter of salaries. We had better resolve the committee into a board of equalizers and let them inquire into the situation."

"I was a member of the committee," said Mr. Broyles, "that recommended the increase of salary, and I beg to state that we considered the matter carefully and decided that $1,800 was small enough."

Mr. Broyles inquired of Mr. Sawtell if $150 a month was too much to pay a competent man for the work of the office.

The councilman replied that he thought it was, and said that if the assessor needed assistance he was willing to vote to give him help.

"The work," continued Mr. Broyles, "of the office, gentlemen, has increased to almost quadruple the amount since the ordinance was passed, and if the salary was proportionate it would be considerably in excess of the amount proposed. The councilman has said that we are making ourselves notorious. What if we are? It makes no difference if we are satisfied that we are doing our duty. Is it right, that is the question, and I am sure the ordinance is right."

"I am not a member," said Mr. Turner, "of the committee on salaries, but I am a member of the tax committee that was 'cussed out' the other day, and without reason."

Mr. Turner then proceeded to advocate the increase of salary. He was followed by Mr. Broyles and Mr. Murphy. The vote when taken was unanimous in favor of the increase, and was subsequently approved by the board of aldermen.

The report of the city comptroller was then read by caption and referred to its appropriate committee.

The report of the committee of public works was next taken up and read in the aggregate of expenditures. The report was as follows:

Amount Expended During the Month of July

First ward	$ 109 70
Second ward	908 50
Third ward	1,219 69
Fourth ward	663 77
Fifth ward	181 98
Sixth ward	135 11

It was referred to the committee.

Mr. Charley Keith Elected.

The election of the city assessor was called and Mr. Turner placed in nomination the name of Mr. Charles Keith. There was no opposition. The vote stood:

For Keith—Woodward, Shropshire, Rice, Boyd, Reneau, Sawtell, Calvin, Broyles, Murphy, Hill, Turner, Northen, Holbrook, Meadow, Tye.

"I now move that we take a recess until tomorrow at 3 o'clock," said Mr. Shropshire.

"I second the motion," came from Mr. Broyles.

"Before the motion is put," said Mr. Holbrook, "I desire to ask for a leave of absence for the city recorder. He needs a rest and wants to be excused for ten days."

The motion was passed and the leave granted.

The motion to adjourn was then renewed and carried by a vote of 8 to 6.

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"I have before me an official chronological summary of engagements and battles, compiled by the war record's office, Washington, then under the charge of that gallant and accomplished soldier, able statistician and fair-minded gentleman, Colonel Robert N. Scott, of the United States army, whose death was lamented as sincerely by confederates as by federals.

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"In the affair at Swift Creek, S. C., on the 19th of April, the federal loss was ten killed and wounded, and on the 13th of May, 1865, at Palmetto Ranch, Tex., the Sixty-Second United States colored troops, the Thirty-Fourth Indiana Volunteers and the Second Texas cavalry, no doubt also colored, seem to have been pretty severely handled by the 'gray jackets,' as they lost, according to their official report, 118 men killed and wounded.

"The last gun in any regular engagement was probably fired in this fight—May 13, 1865—although many of the 'blue coats' were made to bite the dust at later dates by independent parties of confederates, who could not brook the promiscuous pillage, rapine and murder in which many of the saviors of the life of the nation were accustomed to indulge in those days.

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To these gentle apostles of sweetness and light who are within our gates today The Constitution sends its salute to swell the general chorus of welcome!

Mugwump Tactics.

It has been pointed out time and again that democratic success in New York is absolutely essential to the election of a democratic presidential ticket. We believe that every democrat thoroughly understands the situation so far as New York state is concerned, for there is no excuse for misunderstanding it.

If the democrats should fail there, immediately the mugwumps would set up the cry that Mr. Cleveland had been knifed by Senator Hill and his friends, and Tammany would come in for a fair share of abuse. What is most singular and suspicious at this time is the fact that the mugwump organs, The New York Evening Post, The Times and others that have achieved notoriety in handling the platitudes of mugwumpery, are doing all in their power to bring about democratic defeat in that state. Their idea seems to be that the friends and followers of David B. Hill ought not to be permitted to support Mr. Cleveland at the polls, and their plan is to so insult the Hill democrats by abuse of themselves and their leader, as to drive them into a neutral attitude.

A club recently the David B. Hill Club of New York, recognizing the clear purpose of the mugwump organs, passed this resolution touching the matter:

Resolved, That it would be wisdom on the part of The New York Times, The Evening Post, and all of our mugwump brethren to immediately desist from their abuse of Senator Hill and the democratic party in this state and city, and that all labor fraternally henceforth has but one object in view—victory in November."

The spirit of this resolution is admirable. If temperate and kindly, and, what is more it is wise. Nevertheless, The Evening Post, answering promptly for the mugwumps, says that the abuse will not stop and that if the friends and supporters of David B. Hill don't like it they can "get out of the company of the mugwumps of Dana and Fairchild, and of all the friends of Cleveland and Stevenson." There is but one conclusion to be drawn from this, and that is that the mugwumps propose to continue their attacks on the Hill democrats in New York state in spite of the fact that it threatens the defeat of the party. Their hatred of Hill and his followers outweighs their love for Mr. Cleveland. They are willing to sacrifice the ticket they have helped to make rather than forego their attack on an element that is essential to democratic success.

It is a very pretty kettle of fish, and it is a mugwumpian in shape and savor. Only those who have succeeded in the nomination of the candidate should immediately turn their efforts to conciliating and harmonizing all elements in order that the party may receive the unanimous support of those who belong to or who are in accord with the organization. But that is the way of the mugwumps. We know that the support of Hill and his followers of Senator Hill tract or objection of Mr. Cleveland, but everything in their power to support sulky and to encourage which the south is plain of the We do not desire possession Railroad Savannah property the defeat of Mr. Cleveland sorrow to under the table force bill certain to approach ville convention time when and to mingle western republicans that have ville compromise cause Gen. [illegible] hatred of

Hill superior to their patriotism? Do they not owe it to themselves and their friends, to say nothing of the country at large, to drop their childish abuse of democrats and go into the campaign to win? If they have any influence at all, it seems to us that they are in honor bound to exert it in behalf of Mr. Cleveland. Can Mr. Cleveland be helped by abusing democrats?

That is the question that interests the whole country.

Mr. Lodge's Great Men.

Congressman Lodge replies in the current Century to the criticisms drawn out by his paper in that magazine some months ago on "The Distribution of Ability."

Mr. Lodge sticks to it that New England and New York furnished nearly all of the great men in our past history, and as some objection was made to his authority, Appleton's Cyclopedia of National Biography, he quotes the Brittannica to show that he was right in his classification. The Boston Journal says of it:

In fact, the Brittannica classification emphasizes the results of the Appleton tables, if anything. Three hundred and seventeen names of distinguished Americans are noted in the new enumeration. Of these, no less than 157, or fully one-half, are to be credited to New England, and 87 to the middle states, New York, New Jersey, Pennsylvania and Delaware. As in the former classification, this leaves only a very slender representation to the west and south. Among the New England states Massachusetts stands pre-eminent. Of the 157 distinguished men produced by this section, our commonwealth contributes 93. Connecticut comes next with 35; then New Hampshire with 11; Rhode Island, 8; Vermont, 7; and Maine, 3. Among the southern states, Virginia, the "Mother of Presidents," is, as might be expected, the most conspicuous. Of the 54 southerners of distinction she is credited with 29.

The race distribution of these 317 distinguished Americans is significant. No less than 248 of them are set down as of English extraction, 16 are of Scotch descent, 16 of Scotch-Irish and 15 of Huguenot. No other race in our composite population is represented by more than 7.

We are inclined to agree with Richard Malcolm Johnson and other old-time southerners in the opinion that biographies, histories and cyclopedias in this country are misleading as to the distribution of ability. There has always been a spirit of Boswellism in the north, and for a century and a half no man of local prominence in that section has escaped the so-called historians and biographers. Many men have been written into fame who would have lived and died in the south, leaving behind them no chronicle of their actions. Southerners have been busy developing their country, settling the southwest, adding more territory to the national domain, and fighting out our various wars. They have lived and died, and many of the most notable among them are known only through local traditions. If they had lived in New England the village Boswells would have taken their lives, so to speak, and the cyclopedia makers of this generation would have grouped them together for Mr. Lodge to utilize in his statistics of the "Distribution of Ability."

This is about the size of it. Even as great a man as William L. Yancey narrowly missed a biographer, and not until he had been in his grave nearly a generation was the needed book supplied by Colonel John W. DuBose, whose work has recently won deserved approval at home and abroad. There are great men and able men who have never had any biographers, and Georgia alone has about as many of them in proportion to population as any other state can claim.

Carnegie Summed Up.

Almost simultaneously with Carnegie's cut in wages comes the announcement in The New York Telegram that his company has absorbed the iron and steel works of Carnegie, Phipps & Co., Limited; Allegheny Bessemer Steel Co., and the Keystone Bridge Company at the Edgar Thomson Steel works, DuQuesne Steel works, Homestead Steel works, Lucy furnaces, Keystone Bridge works, Upper Union mills, Lower Union mills, Beaver Falls mills, Scotia Ore mines, Larimer Coke works and Youghiogheny Coke works.

The company has a capital of $25,000,000 and will employ 40,000 men. The mills adopting the Carnegie scale of wages are about 400 in number. They all closed down last Friday leaving 150,000 men out of employment.

One object of the proposed reduction in wages is to make it easier for the northern mills to compete successfully with the southern mills. The Chicago Inter Ocean shows the animus of the movement when it declares that southern cheap labor in iron districts is a menace to northern labor. It says:

It is not long ago, little more than a year, that the democratic press of the north—true to its steadfast hatred of a well-paid body of laborers—rejoiced in unison with that of the south over the successful invasion of northern markets by southern made iron. It cackled in glee over the enforced suspension of work in the Youngstown, O., iron district, and predicted a monopoly of the iron trade by a few southern states. Next to the delight which the democratic press experiences over the prospects of American markets flooded with the products of cheap European labor is that which it feels upon the discovery of raw products of scandalously and unnaturally cheap American labor.

To all this The Inter Ocean replied that were southern iron made under like artificial conditions with northern, it would not regret the southern invasion. That if more natural advantages, such as the proximity of iron ore to coal and limestone and greater facilities in mining, gave the south manufacturing supremacy it was its duty to maintain it, and that the north must develop new industries.

But, since it was not so much these natural advantages that were aiding the south, but rather the artificial, unnatural, and illegal advantage of cheap labor—made and kept cheap by systematic debasement of the late southern laborers to the rank of voteless and unschooled chattels—The Inter Ocean warned northern workmen of the danger of longer acquiescence in the southern infamy.

It has been shown time and again that living is cheaper in the south than in the north and that our laborers are practically as well paid as any class in the country. But the Carnegie crowd are determined to cripple our iron industry if they can, and their first step is to force their men to accept lower wages. Then, after they secure control of the field, they expect through their monopoly to keep wages down.

But this man and his methods are thoroughly understood, and The St. Louis Post-Dispatch voices public sentiment in the following:

Andrew Carnegie, who is now summering in Scotland, was once a poor man. Being gifted with more than usual astuteness he saw means to better his condition, like other poor men, but instead of following the biblical injunction and earning his bread in the sweat of his brow, he got a few privileges from a too generous government which enabled him to travel the royal road to riches. These privileges were of enormous value. By means of them he increased his wealth from nothing to $20,000,000. They also enabled him to increase the wages of his employes, but strange to say he did not do this. Instead he bought a castle in Scotland and built a palace and a fortress in Pennsylvania. He is now trying to reduce wages in order to make a heavy contribution to the campaign fund of the republican party, which promises him still more privileges in the event of success. This is the whole philosophy of Andrew Carnegie and every other man who has grown rich at the expense of the American people.

It remains to be seen what the harvest will be.

Who Are the Dodgers?

The republican editors are running about and making a great many funny motions, their purpose being to draw the attention of the voters of the country away from the force bill issue. They run hither and yonder, shaking the bushes, and crying aloud that free trade is wiggling its tail in the undergrowth.

Mr. Whitelaw Reid's newspaper says that the force bill issue is a "bogy." Mr. Harrison's New York organ says that the force bill issue is a sham and a farce. Mr. Murat Halstead, in a voice that can be heard from Brooklyn to Cincinnati, says that the force bill issue is a nuisance. And all of them, with one accord, pretend to believe that the democrats are trying to dodge the tariff issue.

It is natural that those who are hiding out in the bushes should suspect others of indulging in the same pastime. Just how the democrats can dodge the tariff issue we do not perceive. It is down in the platform in black and white, and if there is any dodging or straddling in it we should be glad for the organs of monopoly to point it out. There was a disposition on the part of the leaders in the democratic convention to indulge in something very like a straddle, but the convention took the bit in its teeth and ran away from the desires of its leaders.

If, since the convention adjourned, there has been any attempt on the part of a democratic organ to dodge the tariff issue, we have not heard of it. Such an attempt would be not only futile, but, if it came from any prominent democrat, would be calculated to throw the campaign into confusion. The tariff issue will have to be faced and fought out to the end. The main trouble is that the republicans themselves will have to face it, and this, in view of the condition of labor and the extraordinary lockout in the iron regions of Pennsylvania, is not a pleasing prospect for the party of the monopolists. Whenever there is any dodging on the tariff issue, it will be found that it is the republicans who have taken to the woods.

There is no dodging in the republican platform on the force bill issue. The intentions of the party to raid the south and take charge of the state elections are carefully and clearly outlined. There is no concealment. The plans of the Harrison administration are vigorously set forth. But the organs are dodging. They want to ring down the curtain on this part of the republican programme. Remembering the verdict of 1890, they are afraid to go before the people on the force bill issue. They seem to have just now discovered that it strikes at one of the fundamental principles of our institutions.

Dana on Journalism.

In a recent interview, Editor Dana, of The New York Sun, said that the young man who enters journalism should have good health, good temper, upright principles and the best education he can get, and the most varied knowledge, provided it is accurate. Inaccurate knowledge, he says, is a nuisance.

The veteran journalist thinks that the best outfit for the young newspaper man is to know the Bible, Shakespeare and the constitution of the United States. He should have convictions, and especially political convictions, and belong to one of the great parties, because they are the great agencies of political and social life. A college education will be found to be of advantage. Concerning a school of journalism, he says:

I don't believe in that, because the education the journalist wants is general education—the more general the better. He should have every knowledge and every experience. For instance, it is of great importance to have experienced religion if a man wants to be a journalist—I mean religion in the old orthodox sense. He should have been through the intellectual stage which belongs to the conviction that he is lost, and can only be saved by Jesus Christ; because that is a human experience of great importance. It makes an immense contribution to his intellectual resources. A school for journalism may be very useful, but I think that the boy who comes in here to my room thirty or forty times a day to execute the orders he receives will have more professional knowledge after awhile than any one could get in a school of journalism.

Editor Dana is master of many languages, and ranks high as a scientist. He is fully equipped for many lines of work, and at the age of seventy-two is an active worker. He dictates his editorials, and they have the same incisiveness and finish that characterized them when he wrote every line with his own hand.

He believes that a man should be serious-minded to succeed, and it seems to him that the tendency of public life is improving. Men are born more honest than they used to be, and men are getting more independent. It is his idea that a rich man is more likely to be honest than a poor man because he is less likely to be tempted. Great fortunes, he claims, preserve the means of doing great things, and in time rich men will see that money is a drag and they will try to put it to the best use.

There is nothing pessimistic in the talk of this old man of seventy-two. He looks on the bright side, loves his work, and proves that a man may be a walking cyclopedia and still enjoy a vacation like a boy. Perhaps, with the exception of Gladstone, there is not in the wide world a man of books who equals Mr. Dana as a man of affairs, or one who so thoroughly enjoys both work and play.

Can't Mr. Whitney induce his mugwump friends to take a vacation? It would be a great relief to the democratic party.

Mr. Horace White should pause in his pursuit of Hill long enough to help Cleveland a little.

What would Mr. Harrison do with a free coinage bill? Let the democrats test the matter.

The thumbscrew of protection has turned 150,000 working men out of employment in the iron regions. And yet the organs of monopoly say the democrats are trying to dodge the tariff issue.

Could the democrats of the house hurt Harrison worse than by sending him a free coinage bill? There would be loud calls for an anaesthetic.

By all means let Mr. Harrison have the free coinage bill to play with. If it is loaded, the explosion won't hurt the democratic party.

Some of the republican heelers are still explaining how the Blaine boom missed connection.

"Bill" Chandler says that Clarkson has been making a fool of himself. The remark will apply to the republican party—the whole kit an' bilin'.

EDITORIAL COMMENT.

Gladstone created a sensation when he attacked the wealthy classes in his Edinburgh speech. He said: "It is a pity that the titled, educated and wealthy classes have approached the home rule question in such an implacable spirit, while the poor Irish show the utmost willingness to make every concession, but in all the great controversies in the last fifty years the leisure classes have always been wrong."

JUST FROM GEORGIA.

When They Count the Votes.

O won't there be rejoicing
When they count the votes,
And the loudest sort o' voicing
When they count the votes;
When they take 'em from the box,
And the people throng about 'em,
Will the candidate with socks,
Or the candidate without 'em,
Be elected or dejected when they count the votes?

O won't there be a reckonin'
When they count the votes;
Won't creditors be beckonin'
When they count the votes;
When the balloting is done
And the trouble all adjusted,
On a "bust," the man who won,
And the other fellow—busted!
O the cheering and the swearing when they count the votes!

Fifty Georgia editors announced last week that "during our absence our paper will be in charge of the devil." They believe in giving the devil his due once in a while.

The Columbus Sunday Herald is a very bright newspaper. It has a gossipy style about it which "takes" with the people.

Gave Him a Good Send Off.

A man never loses anything by squaring his accounts with the editor before leaving this world for another. A recent Georgia obituary in the editorial columns, reads: "Six hours before he died he settled his account in full and is now slumbering sweetly on the bosom of Moses."

Mr. Madison Cawein, poet, has a very happy faculty of twisting and torturing the English language into verse. A recent eastern idyl of his in The Times-Democrat is a notable example of the agony of expression which sometimes afflicts him. What a good thing it would be for his readers if Mr. Cawein, who is really a poet, would write naturally. He excels when he does this, and should, therefore, cease to masquerade in poems with Asiatic cholera.

LONGSTREET'S WAR HISTORY.

General Longstreet, Lee's great lieutenant, is in the city on business of more than usual interest. The time has come, in his opinion, when the story of the late war, from his standpoint, should be told. Others have fought these battles o'er, but always with some policy or friendship to sustain. General Longstreet views the war in its purely military light, telling the story with the skill of a master. The work, which he has well in hand, will thus be of special interest as a military classic.

General Longstreet has paid Mr. P. J. Moran, one of The Constitution staff, the great compliment of selecting him to revise the work before it goes into the hands of the printer. Mr. Moran's ability for such work is well recognized, and under his guidance it will soon be in readiness for the reading public. General Longstreet's attention was first called to Mr. Moran's work when the latter wrote an interview with him upon the occasion of the death of General Grant. So remarkable was the production that The Century company made special inquiry to discover the author.

GEORGIA POLITICAL NOTES.

There are quite a number of young men in Columbus who, while not yet twenty-one years of age, will reach their majority in time to vote in the fall elections for county and state officers. In reply to the question: "Are these young me entitled to vote in primary elections?" Hon. Thomas W. Grimes says that young men not twenty-one years old at the date of the primary election, but who will arrive at majority in time to vote in the elections for the legislature and other state officials, and for county officers, are unquestionably entitled to vote at the primaries. This right is given them, not only under the registration law, but is accorded to them by democratic usage.

Hon. Felix Corput, of Floyd, is now squarely in the senatorial race from the forty-second senatorial district, and The Rome Tribune says that he will "have a walk-over." Hon. W. C. Bryan is a candidate for re-election as representative from Floyd, and Mr. J. H. Spullock has also entered the lists for that honor.

Many are the compliments Hon. W. C. Glenn is receiving from the press on his voice for the attorney generalship. The people have had a good opportunity to study the workings of his railroad bill, and the press at large is discussing its benefits to counties through which railroads pass, and placing them prominently before the people.

The political gossip of The Columbus Herald says that candidates for office are having a huge time in that vicinity. The Herald says:

"Almost nightly meetings are held down among the willows on the river bank or in other parts of the city. The other night I saw one candidate followed by a string of voters that stretched from the Alabama warehouse to King & Daniel's corner. The 'boys' get up a crowd, make short talks, drink ice water and pull for their favorite. The present race for county officers is growing hot and bitter among some of the candidates and their friends, but I guess they will all be friends again, after the battle is over, and support the nominees like good democrats."

The Eatonton Messenger says that the democratic primaries for senator and representative have been postponed to July 27th. This action was taken by the executive committee because it seemed probable that twenty or thirty voters would attend the Third Georgia reunion at Athens July 20th, the date formerly selected for the primaries, and the committee desired to give as many democrats as possible the chance to vote.

The Macon Evening News pays this deserved compliment to Hon. W. Y. Atkinson:

"Hon. W. Y. Atkinson, chairman of the Georgia democratic executive committee, has discharged the duties of his trust with marked fidelity and ability. He has been untiring in his efforts in behalf of the democratic party, and has displayed an energy and zeal which are worthy of emulation by all democrats. During Mr. Atkinson's term of office the democracy has been subjected to the most trying experience in its history. Its very existence has been threatened by an insidious foe that attempted its destruction in its own household, and whose leaders began by protesting their strongest allegiance to its principles. Through this trying period Mr. Atkinson's efforts have never flagged, and the fact that the enemies of democracy have been repulsed and disheartened is largely due to his skill and determination. It would be a graceful and appropriate tribute to his good offices for the party to reward Mr. Atkinson's faithfulness with a second term as chairman of the executive committee."

MAY BE FATAL.

The Injuries of Colonel Peek Regarded as Extremely Serious.

HE IS THROWN FROM A BUGGY

And Receives Dangerous and Probably Fatal Injuries.

HE WAS PARALYZED BY THE FALL.

Watchers Are at His Bedside Expecting His Death—Sad News for Thousands of Friends.

Colonel W. L. Peek, one of the most prominent figures in Georgia politics, and one of the recognized leaders of the third party, lies at his home in Rockdale county paralyzed and unable to move.

Watching by his bedside with great anxiety are kind friends and relatives and skilled physicians. Colonel Peek's condition is extremely critical, and it is doubtful if he ever recovers. He is suffering from injuries received in an accident late Sunday afternoon. [illegible]ers and Dow if it does not cost him hi[illegible]ing game—Colonel Peek badly disabled pity[illegible]

All over Georgia thousands of people will await anxiously for news from Colonel Peek's bedside, for in every section of the state he has warm friends.

How It Occurred.

Sunday afternoon when the sun had sunk low into the west and the shadows were lengthening, Colonel Peek went out for a drive with his son, Mr. Horace Peek. The horse they drove was the one that has been driven by the family for a long time and was perfectly safe. The ride was greatly enjoyed by Colonel Peek. The cool, fresh air, and the sight of the blossoming fields pleased him and not until dark came on did he turn his horse's head homeward. Near Colonel Peek's home is a steep hill which the public road leading by his home descends. In going down this hill Sunday afternoon the horse Colonel Peek was driving stumbled and fell forward.

The force of the fall suddenly propelled the buggy and the sudden jerk threw Colonel Peek from his seat. He fell forward in front of his buggy, striking the ground on his shoulder. He rolled over, after falling, turning a complete somersault. The fall was a bad one for Colonel Peek and left him unconscious, and suffering excruciating pain. His spine was badly injured, causing paralysis.

Colonel Peek was taken to his home and Dr. Rosser, the family physician, called in. He found Colonel Peek's condition to be very serious. Colonel Peek was still suffering greatly last night and his death is feared. If the accident does not prove fatal, it will be several weeks before Colonel Peek will be out again.

All over Georgia this news will be read with regret. Everywhere he is known Colonel Peek has friends. He is honest and steadfast, and without regard to party lines his death would be received with genuine sorrow in Georgia. He is a good neighbor, and a man against whom no charge can be brought.

LETTERS FROM THE PEOPLE.

The Contingent Fee Business.

Editor Constitution—Apropos of the article in The Constitution of July 4th, by Mr. Cooper, and the action of the grand jury in regard to contingent fees, it might be well to say that the railroad corporations are not the only ones who suffer by the practice of champerty and maintenance among unscrupulous lawyers.

Private corporations and individuals have been ruined and their business broken up by the number of damage suits brought against them and the amounts claimed injuring their commercial standing. This is a strong point urged by the legal vultures to induce a settlement. "We'll ruin your credit, harass you in business, destroy your peace of mind and cause you serious expense," says the legal blackmailer, "if you don't come down and settle this case."

The merits of the cause determine the extent of the extortion. If the grounds for action are meager and not well taken, the question often is, What will you give? What will you give to have immunity from worry, expense, loss of credit, etc.?

This new industry among these shysters seems to be supplanting the hitherto supposed more beneficial industries of commerce and manufacture. They seem to be throttling those that are established and a sure preventive of the establishment of more.

"O tell it not in Gath," and don't mention it in Chattanooga, Macon or elsewhere. There are no new factories starting in our city and those that are here are groaning under a heavy load and crying aloud for emancipation.

1. From prosecutions which amount to persecution.

2. From exorbitant and prohibitory taxation; special taxation, licenses, etc., not required in cities where manufactories are expected to thrive.

3. From water rates, which other cities do not impose.

These conditions are a continual menace to the commerce and manufactories of our city, and affect directly or indirectly every good citizen in it; every man engaged in commerce or manufacturing, every real estate owner, yes, and every lawyer; for one business should not be driven at the expense of another, but let all be built up in a legitimate way for the general good of the community.

We have no complaint to make against our brethren of the learned profession who conscientiously espouse the cause of the poor and the maimed, if it is done in an honorable, upright and clean manner, but we deplore the necessity of the grand jury being obliged to correct an evil which the attorneys of the Fulton county bar should have regulated without their aid. GEORGE S. MAY.

Atlanta, Ga., July 4, 1892.

The Railroad Situation.

Atlanta, Ga., July 4.—Editor Constitution: I beg to make my compliments to your Mr. Cooper and give him my cordial thanks for his sensible article of date on the southern railroad situation. It reminds me of a remark of Governor Brown to the effect that our people all wanted railroads built but as soon as they were running sued for damages for the most trifling cause and that he was out of the business. Without these iron lines which now reticulate every section of the state, Georgia would now have about one million inhabitants, there would have been no Atlanta, Fulton county lands would be worth from $2 to $10 an acre, manufactories nowhere and wages about 50 cents a day.

Some forty years since our railways were regarded with pride and even affection by our people. They were "our roads," built with "our money," and controlled by our people.

It is useless to speculate about the changed attitude of public sentiment. It certainly exists. Whether ambitious members of the profession are the cause or the effect is uncertain, but it is fortunately true that when the investments in railroad securities had been shifted from the south to north a controlling amount fell into the hands of our people, who managed to move the headquarters [illegible] center of the south. I do not say where the blame lies for the sudden and violent change which moved all this vast business away from its natural center to its extreme edge, but it was a sad day to me to see this army of able and influential men leave. I believe it was a sad day for the south, and I can but hope that The Constitution's fight will encourage a more friendly attitude among our people towards the great corporations which can do so much for us. SIDNEY ROOT.

TWO LARGE AUDIENCES.

Carmencita Wore the National Colors When She Danced.

Atlanta takes to innovations when they suit her.

A matinee performance starting at 11 o'clock in the forenoon may well be regarded as something of a novelty, but the unusual event made no difference to the theatergoers. DeGive's was crowded yesterday morning at the Deshon Opera Company's performance. It was another beautiful audience, too, the house being largely filled with ladies.

"Olivette" was the opera given. Frank Deshon kept the spectators laughing. He introduced a pantomime burlesque baseball act and did it very cleverly. The opera went well and was enthusiastically appreciated.

Gautier opened her third week and danced delightfully. Her serpentime dance has lost none of its charm. She is the impersonation of grace and has won the hearts of all who have seen her.

Senorita Carmencita appeared in the national colors, a red skirt, blue waist, covered with silver stars, blue slippers fastened with red ribbons around, ankles clad in white hose. She wore a similar costume at the night performance and it was perfectly appropriate for the day. At night she received some beautiful flowers and the audience called for her so long even after her second dance that the curtain had to be raised and she danced a few steps the third time. This was the first time she has yielded to the applause to give a third dance.

Gautier was heartily applauded at night, too, and many flowers were thrown to her.

"Erminie" will be given tonight and there will be some elegant box parties present. On Thursday night a benefit will be given to Frank Deshon. There will be a matinee tomorrow afternoon.

MANY TENTS

Will Be Scattered Around Atlanta by the Ministers.

The evangelical ministers held an interesting meeting at Trinity church yesterday morning.

The association was called to order promptly at 10 o'clock by Mr. T. T. Christian.

There was no particular business to be brought before the association, so the exercises were principally devotional.

Mr. G. G. Smith, who is largely interested in Sunday school work, gave a very interesting talk on "Advantages of Tent Meetings," in which he said that two-thirds of the people who attended these meetings were people who were not connected with the church in any way.

Bishop Fitzgerald took up the discussion where Mr. Smith left off and enlarged upon the subject in such a way as to convince the association of the importance of tent meetings, and as a result Atlanta will soon have several large tents erected in its different localities.

An invitation was extended through any of the pastors to all laymen who wished to attend the meetings of the Evangelical Ministers' Association.

The subject to be discussed at the next meeting is, "What is Sensational Preaching?" The discussion will be lead by Dr. Robins.

Among the visitors present were the Rev. Mr. Harper, of Americus, and F. P. Brown, of Fulton circuit.

THEY WERE PARDONED.

Mayor Pro Tem Reinhardt Issues One Pardon for Several.

There are not near so many prisoners in the city stockade this morning as there were yesterday morning.

And its all due to a big pardon granted by Mayor Pro Tem Reinhardt.

Yesterday morning the mayor pro tem saw every one brimfull of happiness as he came down town, and instantly his mind turned upon the unfortunate prisoners in the stockade. Without hesitating a minute the mayor decided to pardon as many as he thought were entitled to clemency. An hour later this paper had been transmitted to Hon. D. G. Wylie, commissioner of public works:

Atlanta, Ga., July 4, 1892.—Hon. D. G. Wylie, Commissioner of Public Works, Atlanta, Ga.: You are hereby directed to release all convicts whose terms will expire between now and the 6th instant. Also all females that were in the stockade except those sent out last night. Also all minors under fourteen years of age. A. M. REINHARDT.

Before 10 o'clock the stockade force had been reduced materially.

THE BOWLING ALLEY DONE,

And the Members of the Piedmont Driving Club Are Pleased with It.

The new bowling alley of the Piedmont Driving Club has been completed, and is now ready for the members.

It is situated to the left of the gate, and in front of the clubhouse.

There are four alleys, each made in the best manner possible. The buffers at the lower end are so constructed as to make very little noise. The balls are from the best makers. The club has always been a favorite resort for its members on sultry afternoons, a place where they can escape the heat of the city and its myriad noises, and find rest and refreshments, but since this addition to the many attractions of the place it will be more frequented than ever before.

MR. HENDRIX BETTER.

He Is Steadily Improving and Will Soon Recover.

Hon. J. C. Hendrix, who has been quite sick for the last few days, was a great deal better last night.

If he continues to improve he will leave in a few days with two of his daughters, Mrs. J. W. Donson and Miss Maynne Hendrix, for the northern and eastern resorts. They will also visit Canada. Mr. Hendrix, who has been a citizen of Atlanta for thirty-three years, has never been absent more than two weeks at any one time.

The Assassins Shot.

Goschen, Va., July 4.—Granville Leech, a prominent citizen of Rockbridge, was assassinated last night. Just as he was leaving his gate he was killed by a pistol shot. The first shot entered his side. He then started to run and had gotten twenty feet when he fell and the murderer then put a pistol to his head and fired, the ball passing from temple to temple. Leech was known to have enemies, but the inquest of the jury failed to connect any especial person with the shooting.

The Last of the Gang Killed.

Middlesboro, Ky., July 4.—(Special.)—William Partin, chief of police of Pineville, was killed today by Lucius Smith. They were at a picnic with a negro, and hit him over the head with a billy. Smith resented. Partin reached for his pistol when Smith fired. Five shots were exchanged between them, when Partin fell dead, shot through the heart. Partin is the last of the old Partin gang in the Partin-Turner feud.

Cholera in Russia.

St. Petersburg, July 4.—Official advices from Sacator state that in the past two days twenty new cases of cholera have been reported there and eight deaths from cholera have occurred. Only one of the persons attacked by the cholera has been known to have had any communication with places where the disease existed or with persons suffering from it. The disease is spreading at Astrakan. On Sunday there were nineteen cases in town.

Waiting for the Report.

Washington, July 4.—No official report regarding the seizure of the British steamer Coquillon has yet been received at the state department, but the officials of that department have no doubt whatever of the accuracy of the press dispatches on the subject. The question of illicit sealing is in no wise involved in the case.

A WARM CAMPAIGN

Is That Being Waged in Great Britain This Week.

LITTLE SPEAKING, MUCH FIGHTING.

The Conservatives Do Not Understand Gladstone's Tactics.

EIGHTEEN ELECTIONS HELD YESTERDAY.

A Unionist Meeting Broken Up by the Opposition—Benches Smashed and Women Frightened.

London, July 4.—The unionist press continues to accuse the liberal party and its candidates, especially in the metropolis, of keeping the home rule question in the background. It is, however, compelled to admit, though it does so reluctantly, that Mr. Gladstone has not adopted this course, and that on the contrary he rather facilitates the task of the unionists by stating all the difficulties which stand in the way of obtaining home rule without giving his following the slightest idea how to meet them.

The Chronicle echoes The News' panegyric upon Gladstone's speech at Glasgow Saturday, and accuses landlords and employers of labor all over London of intimidating voters by ordering the removal of all radical election bills from the windows of their houses and of supplying lists of their employes to election agents for the purpose of marking and thus making known those who support the radical cause.

The Chronicle expresses regret at the adoption of such tactics, which, it says, throws discredit upon the conservative cause and warns those who adopt them that their actions are illegal and render them liable to the infliction of heavy penalties.

Rev. Newman Hall publishes in The London Times today records contained in his diary of two conversations which he had with John Bright in May, 1887, in which Bright denounced Gladstone's espousal of home rule.

Mr. Perrault, a delegate from the Montreal Chamber of Commerce to the recent congress of the Chambers of Commerce, in a letter printed today protested against the description of Quebec by a correspondent of The Times as an ignorant, priest-ridden country, and against other unfair statements of the same character, which, he says, have been published with the view of influencing the Protestant vote. On the Irish question Mr. Perrault says he regrets that such a paltry object should suffice to induce the maligning of a country which had twice preserved the dominion to the British crown.

Eighteen members of the house of commons were today returned without opposition. Thus far nineteen conservatives, six liberal unionists and six liberals have been elected. Polling is proceeding quietly, but vigorously.

A unionist meeting which was being held at Petersborough was broken up by political opponents of the party, and a free fight ensued, during which benches and chairs were smashed and the hall in which the meeting was being held was much damaged. A number of ladies who were present sought refuge on the platform when the disturbance began and finally fled to the street. Several persons were injured.

R. M. FLAGLER'S BIG SCHEME

To Bring South American Trade to the Doors of the Eastern Market.

Jacksonville, Fla., July 4.—The work of extending the St. Augustine railroad to New Smyrna is rapidly progressing. H. M. Flagler's orders are that trains must be running between those two points by August 1st. In fact, the road will be completed by the first of next week.

Mr. Flagler's project is to follow the eastern coast to deep water. Men are working at New Smyrna, and large gangs are at Titusville, working from that point both ways. Further down the coast surveys are in progress looking to the building of an immense iron pier, which shall carry trains safely to the outer waters of Biscayne bay, where they can meet vessels of the largest tonnage and of the greatest draught.

This means the most direct route between the Atlantic seaboard cities and the West Indies and South America, bringing New York, Philadelphia, Baltimore and Boston 180 miles nearer Havana than they now are via Tampa. It means the bringing of the South American trade to the very doorsteps of the eastern markets and the capturing from the Plant system of the fast mail and its attendant trade and travel. It means, also, that the deep water port of Florida is to be at Miami and Biscayne bay.

On top of this scheme is the project to build a railroad from Biscayne bay over coral reefs, islands, keys and shallow water right into the heart of the city of Key West, and millions of New York and Philadelphia capital is behind it. The Clydes are said to be in the Flagler project, and altogether the combination is a big one, financially and in influence.

FEAST OF THE SIOUX.

Congress of the Tribe—Celebration of the Erection of a New Church.

Cheyenne River Agency, S. D., July 4.—Six thousand Sioux Indians are here to take part in the congress of Catholic Sioux Indians. The congress was called to afford them an opportunity for a conference in relation to their spiritual and temporal affairs. The occasion chosen is the celebration of the completion of the fine new Catholic church erected by Miss Frances Drexel and the dedication thereof at this agency. The exercises yesterday were of a purely religious nature. The dedication ceremonies were conducted by Bishop Martin, and were of the most impressive character. The congress proper will be held this morning. A great pole and brush pavilion has been erected. This meeting will be followed by a magnificent dog feast, which it is intended shall surpass in splendor any previous gastronomic performance. The afternoon will be devoted to races, shinny and other sports, and at 4 o'clock a ration issue will be made. The powwow will conclude tomorrow.

THE PROHIBITION FIGHT

To Be Kept Up by Men Who Are Anxious to Run Into Office on It.

Augusta, Ga., July 4.—(Special.)—As expected, the prohibition issue will be injected into all coming municipal and county elections. This afternoon Mr. J. H. Bredenburg announces himself as a candidate for clerk of the superior court against Mr. E. Keaner, the present incumbent, who is a prohibitionist. Ex-Mayor Robert H. May will oppose Coroner Walter A. Clark. There is talk of Mr. John M. Hayes running for sheriff against Captain P. J. O'Connor, who is a strong anti. It is also rumored that Mr. William Dunbar, who voted the dry ticket, will be in the race for ordinary against Judge A. R. Walton, who is an anti-prohibitionist, and that Mr. Charles T. Hollingsworth, a prohibitionist, will oppose Mr. J. V. J. Steed, an anti, for his office of receiver of tax returns.

He Is a Doctor in Divinity.

Dawson, Ga., July 4.—(Special.)—Rev. W. H. Patterson, pastor of the Baptist church here, was complimented with the degree of D. D. by the University of Alabama at Tuscaloosa.

The McIntosh Dragoons Coming.

Darien, Ga., July 4.—(Special.)—The McIntosh Light Dragoons left today for Camp Northen, thirty-three strong, Captain C. H. Hopkins commanding.

RECEIVER COMER.

United States District Judge Speer's Decision Yesterday Morning.

ANOTHER SURPRISE IN THE CENTRAL.

The Change Made So as to Bring About Greater Freedom of Discretion in Management.

Savannah, Ga., July 4.—(Special.)—President Hugh Comer is now sole receiver of the Central Railroad and Banking Company. The order was signed by Judge Emory Speer this morning. A circular prepared by Mr. Comer in New York, where he now is, was issued in which he announced his acceptance of the trust and assumed control of the property, its assets and franchises, and ordered operations to be continued by the heads of the departments as heretofore.

This is the first move toward a reorganization of the entire system and is the result of a bill filed by Lawton & Cunningham and Denmark, Adams & Adams, of this city, representing creditors, the principal of whom were the Speyer loan people.

Judge A. Pratt Adams was present at the meeting of the directors today and gave an explicit statement of what Mr. Comer has done in New York. His failure to raise all of the money needed was due to the belief of financiers that the Central should undergo some form of reorganization. A thorough investigation of its financial condition, taking its average earnings for three years, seemed to show that it was too heavily encumbered with fixed charges. Then the creditors feared further complications over the 42,000 shares of stock in the custody of the Central Trust Company. The Speyer people aided in the efforts to raise money and from them Mr. Comer secured some of the money used in meeting the obligation to the leased roads. They were very reasonable and stated that they would not call their loan or sell the securities pledged with them, as the conditions of the loan gave them the right to do. All of the parties to the bill, Judge Adams states, desired Mr. Comer to be made sole receiver. They all feel the utmost confidence in his integrity and ability. He was unwilling to accept without the consent of his associate directors and receivers. This was willingly given by them at the meeting this morning. Mr. Comer, it is stated, will insist on a most incisive and healthful reorganization of the fiscal schedule of the properties in the Central system. He will have the earnest support of the Central directors who remain such while losing thier power as receivers. The directors believe that when the stockholders of the leased roads are made aware of the exact situation of the Central system and other railroad properties in this section of the south, they will be willing to assist in the reorganization on a safe basis, but accepting some lower rate of interest which is justified by their earning capacity or value as feeders.

Mr. Comer's Reply.

President Comer has prepared a reply to the statement of Clyde, Maben & Goadby, extracts from which were published in The Constitution about a week ago. This reply, which was first published in The New York Financial Chronicle, reads as follows:

New York, June 28, 1892.—To the editor of The Financial Chronicle: Inasmuch as you have published in the columns of your deservedly influential journal the statement of Messrs. Clyde, Maben and Goadby with reference to the Georgia Central's affairs, which seriously reflects upon the directors and receivers of that property, as well as upon the people and the courts of Georgia, I am sure you will not close your columns to this reply. Mr. Clyde and his associates complain of the action of the federal court in placing the Georgia Central in the hands of receivers. This action was taken upon the suit of a stockholder of that company. Certainly neither the Central Railroad Company nor its receivers are in anywise responsible for that litigation. The averments contained in the complainant's bill that the court deemed it its duty to take cognizance of the case for the purpose of adjudicating the issues therein presented. For this purpose, and in order to preserve the status quo until the cause could be properly determined, the court constituted the then president of the Georgia Central, General E. P. Alexander, its temporary receiver, authorizing and directing him to continue and conduct the business of the company without change in the books and accounts as he had theretofore been doing. General Alexander had been president of the company for some years previously, having been chosen for that position and continued in it by the Richmond and Danville people. When the hearing was had upon the application for the appointment of receivers, the Central Railroad Company filed its answer affirming the validity of the lease under which the Danville had been operating the Central system, and otherwise opposed the application for the appointment of receivers. The Danville, on the other hand made no opposition to this proceeding, but on the contrary abandoned the possession of the property and surrendered it to the court and repudiated the lease. That company asked the court to accept its surrender of the property and to confirm its action in this behalf. The counsel of the Central company argued earnestly in opposition to the application for receivers. I respectfully submit therefore that the Danville people are in no position to complain of the action of the court, which doubtless was largely influenced by the attitude and course of the Danville company. Inasmuch as this company abandoned the property and surrendered it to the court, the appointment of receivers to manage the property followed as a necessary and logical result. At this hearing Judge Pardee, the circuit judge, presided with Judge Speer, and came from New Orleans for this purpose at Judge Speer's special instance and request. The opinion of the court appointing the present receivers and deciding against the right of the Terminal company to vote its block of 42,000 shares of stock, and thus control the Central Railroad Company, was delivered by Judge Pardee. Mr. Clyde and his associates declare that "this decision is unparalleled in the history of law," and that the action of the court "was unprecedented, and is believed to be illegal." Without pausing to comment upon this criticism of the judgment of able and experienced jurists of high station and national reputation, I beg leave to suggest that the Danville company had the right to appeal from this decision to the circuit court of appeals, and I submit that if its counsel or representatives had really believed that the decision was "absolutely illegal, unprecedented and unparalleled in the history of law," it is a reasonable presumption to indulge that the appeal would have been promptly taken. On the contrary, however, this decision was acquiesced in. This decision was predicated upon the following provision of the constitution of the state of Georgia, which was adopted in 1877, and was, therefore, a part of our fundamental law at the time, and long before the time, that the Danville and Terminal companies acquired their holdings in the Central railroad: "The general assembly of this state shall not have power to authorize any corporation to buy shares or stock in any other corporation in this state, or elsewhere, or to make any contract or agreement whatever with any such corporation, which may have the effect, or be intended to have the effect, to defeat or lessen competition in their respective businesses, or to encourage monopolies, and all such contracts and agreements shall be illegal and void."

Mr. Clyde and his associates further complain of the action of the court in restoring the possession to the receivers of the Central Railroad Company of the New England and Savannah steamship stock, which was the property of that company, and was placed in escrow to abide a determination by arbitration under the lease of the Central's liability for a certain claim preferred against it by the Danville company in December, 1891, about the time when the Central railroad and Southwestern railroad dividends, for which the Danville company was liable under the lease, became due. Space does not permit me to discuss the facts attending this matter, but I respectfully venture the assertion that there is no one familiar with the facts who really believes that the Danville company had the slightest claim upon this stock, and I deem it sufficient, in reply to the criticism of Mr. Clyde and his associates, to cite the opinion of the counsel of the Richmond and Danville and the Terminal company, who in a recently published and well-considered interview of his in The Atlanta Journal, in referring to this decision, says: "I regard the decision of Judge Speer as doing substantial justice between the parties and such as was required by the spirit of equity." Again, this able and distinguished counsel says of this decision: "It is just such a decision as I would have rendered had I been in his place." Again, in the same interview, this learned gentleman further declares: "Judge Speer has been courteous and patient and I believe in earnestly endeavoring to fully protect the interests of all parties. He feels the dignity of his judicial station, and I feel sure that all parties will receive a patient hearing and impartial decision from him." This, be it observed, is a recent interview published after the suit of the Central against the Richmond and Danville was brought, and while it was pending. Surely, then, if it be true, as stated by Mr. Clyde and his associates, that they are "advised that none of these apparently arbitrary acts of this court are legal, and that they cannot be sustained," it is evident that they were not so advised by the counsel of the Richmond and Danville or Terminal companies, who are certainly most competent to speak upon this subject, and surely it is remarkable that from none of these decisions has an appeal been entered. It will be borne in mind, too, that the question as to the right of the Terminal company to vote its 42,000 shares of stock has been the subject of two different and distinct decisions.

Mr. Clyde and his associates complain of the numerous garnishments and attachments that have been issued against the Richmond and Danville company in Georgia. It is undoubtedly true that numerous garnishments and attachments have been issued against this company, but it is likewise true that they were predicated upon claims against that company which are valid and undisputed obligations, and I have yet to learn that the debtor who defaults upon his obligations has a right to complain of creditors who seek by legal process to recover their debts.

Mr. Clyde and his associates affirm that large losses were incurred by the Danville company in operating the Central railroad. In reply I cite the affidavit of H. C. Ansley, assistant auditor of the Richmond and Danville, who has been for years, and still is, in the service of the company, made March 25, 1892, in which he swears that "the total net earnings for the eight months ending February 29, 1892, are $1,784,127.05." To this should be added $192,922.50, pay rolls for February, 1892, which are deducted from the net earnings as given by Mr. Ansley, but which were afterwards paid by the Central railroad. There should be further added to these net earnings the sum of over $280,000 received from the Ocean Steamship Company. It will, then, be perceived that the assistant auditor of the Richmond and Danville company differs from Mr. Clyde and his associates, and to their statement that the Central railroad was operated at a great loss I oppose this affidavit of their official, who certainly ought to know whereof he speaks, showing that the net earnings for eight months were considerably in excess of two millions of dollars, a sum greater than the entire annual fixed charges.

Mr. Clyde and his associates further declare that "this appointment of receivers by Judge Bond is not only not inimical to, nor in opposition to, any plan for the financial reorganization and rehabilitation of the Danville system, but will be found to greatly facilitate in the plan of reorganization." In reply to this statement I would quote from the circular letter of Messrs. Drexel, Morgan & Co. this day given to the public: "Therefore, upon learning of the appointment of receivers for the Richmond and Danville property by the United States court, we applied to Mr. W. P. Clyde to know whether, in case we undertook the reorganization, the suit now under his control would be transferred to us and the present receivers resign in favor of Mr. Spencer, and stated to him that, in our opinion, such a course was essential. He declined to give us any assurance, and our conversation with him leads us to doubt his loyalty to any reorganization plan whatever, although he, as one of your committee, signed the request to us to undertake the same."

In closing, allow me to add that neither I nor the directors of the Central railroad have any desire to injure or embarrass the Danville or Terminal company. The proceedings instituted by us against the Danville company were only taken after our earnest efforts to bring about an amicable adjustment had failed. Soon after my election as president and chairman of the receivers of the Central railroad I spent a week in New York, using every possible effort to bring the matters in issue between the Central and the Danville companies to a fair and proper settlement, and it is only just for me to say that I believe this desirable end could have been attained if the president of the Danville company had been left free to act in its behalf. The directors of the Central railroad were therefore forced to the conclusion that they had either to abandon and surrender what they believed to be the just claims and rights of the company which they represented, or to enforce these rights by litigation. We are willing now, as we have always been, to have all matters in controversy between the Danville and Central companies adjusted by any fair and equitable method. We are ready now, and will ever be, to cooperate cheerfully in any effort that is made looking to the relief of any of the companies that are involved. Far from desiring to injure the Danville company, we shall regard with gratification the success of any plan that can restore it to credit and prosperity.

The counsel of our company, for the information of the stock and security holders, have had prepared a pamphlet containing, together with a brief history of the litigation, all the decisions rendered by the United States courts for the southern district of Georgia affecting the Central and Danville companies. Copies of this pamphlet can be obtained by addressing the undersigned at Savannah, Ga. I herewith hand you a copy.

H. M. COMER,
President and Chairman of Receivers of Central Railroad and Banking Company of Georgia.

SOCIETY GOSSIP.

Norwood, Ga., July 4.—(Special.)—The town of Norwood was treated to a grand entertainment Friday evening, gotten up and engineered by Mrs. W. H. Cooper, music teacher. The programme was rich and varied, combining both pathos and humor. Every piece presented elicited loud applause. Mrs. Cooper this morning is the recipient of many compliments for her grand success. The proceeds of the entertainment go toward furnishing the parsonage.

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Cards are out announcing the marriage of Miss Diamond Edwards to Mr. Thomas F. Stocks. The marriage will take place July 14th, at the home of the bride. Miss Edwards is a young lady of rare beauty, and has many accomplishments, while Mr. Stocks is one of the leading young business men of this city.

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Mrs. F. M. Van Pelt, of Newnan, returned to the city yesterday from Galesburg, Ill., accompanied by her little daughter, Ada.

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Mrs. S. S. Solomons and her two daughters, Misses Clara and Zipp, of Charleston, en route to the Virginia springs, are stopping for a short time with her daughter, Mrs. J. A. Alexander on Peachtree street.

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Greenesboro, Ga., July 4.—(Special.)—A reception was given Friday evening by Professor and Mrs. P. P. Carter complimentary to their niece, Miss Janine Carter, of Virginia, who has been visiting them for several months.

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Barnesville, Ga., July 4.—(Special.)—Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Murphey gave a garden party at their residence on Thomaston street last night in honor of Miss Jennie Hollis, of Americus, who is visiting them. It was one of the most enjoyable social gatherings in the history of Barnesville.

This has been a gala week for Barnesville. The largest and most successful commencement in the history of its pride, the Gordon institute, has just closed and some of the many visiting ladies are staying over awhile adding much to the attraction of the society of Barnesville.

The name of one of Atlanta's citizens is still heard by old and young in connection with the commencement which has just passed. All who talk of it speak of Benjamin J. Conyers's speech as a wonder and predict a great future for this young gentleman.

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Misses Helen and Amanda Moore are entertaining a charming house party at their ideal summer chatean, "Arcadia," at Tallulah Falls. Among those from Atlanta are Misses Marsh and Bigby, and Messrs. Crankshaw, Hall and Will Black.

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Mr. Thomas B. Paine and Frank West are taking the waters of Tate Springs this week.

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Miss Pearl Simpson, of Marietta, is visiting Mrs. M. E. Phillips, corner of Luckie and Forsyth streets.

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Mrs. Henry Jackson and family are now at Exeter, whence they go in a few days to spend the summer at Old Orchard beach.

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The Ladies' Benevolent Society will give a lawn party at the residence of Mrs. Byers, corner of Loyd and Pulliam streets, on Thursday evening, July 14th. Ice cream and refreshments will be served. A pleasant entertainment is promised all who attend.

ATLANTA SHUT OUT

By That Ball Team from the Iron Puddlers' Town.

LEACH PITCHED A GREAT GAME,

But the Boys in Blue Found Him for Five Hits in One Inning—The Attendance Was Large.

Birmingham shut Atlanta out yesterday in the presence of the biggest baseball audience Atlanta has ever given.

And the game was one of the very best ever put up in the south.

The gates were thrown open at 2 o'clock and instantly the crowd began pouring in. For two hours the stream was almost an unbroken one and long before the game began the sale of grand stand tickets had been stopped.

Every box was occupied, every seat was taken and every inch of available space was covered by some one. The smokers could accommodate no more, while the bleachers were packed with ladies and gentlemen. Down the right field foul line there were at least a thousand people, and half as many more would have been there had not Director Bosche prudently kept them off.

The assembly was not only the largest Atlanta has ever given up but it was composed of the best people. It was nearly 5,000 strong.

The Atlantas presented Leech, and up to the sixth inning he pitched a remarkable game of ball. But in the sixth the Birmingham sluggers dropped upon him for four singles and a double and that gave up four runs. Petty led off with a scratch and McGann went out at second on Mills's hit. Gans's hit advanced Mills and Broderick sent them a base further. Then Klusman and Gans scored, Niles brought Broderick and Klusman home.

Up to the sixth only two hits were made off Leech and after that only one was given.

He did not give up a base on balls and besides striking out eight men made a clean hit.

Petty pitched a great game, too, and Atlanta was simply unable to touch him.

ATLANTA.	AB.	R.	1B.	SB.	PO.	A.	E.
Prescott, rf	4	0	0	0	0	0	0
Porter, 1b	3	0	0	1	9	0	0
Hill, cf	4	0	1	1	0	0	0
Ardner, 2b	4	0	0	0	2	3	0
Foster, lf	2	0	0	0	0	0	0
Schabel, c	3	0	0	0	7	0	0
Key, 3b	3	0	0	0	2	4	1
McGann, ss	3	0	2	1	4	1	0
Leach, p	3	0	1	0	0	3	0
Total	29	0	4	3	24	11	1

BIRMINGHAM	AB.	R.	1B.	SB.	PO.	A.	E.
Mills, 2b	4	1	1	1	0	4	0
Gans, cf	4	1	1	0	0	0	0
Broderick, lf	4	1	1	0	3	0	0
Klusman, 1b	4	1	2	0	15	0	0
Niles, 3b	4	0	1	1	0	0	0
McMahon, ss	3	0	1	0	2	2	0
Bell, rf	3	0	0	0	1	1	0
Sweeney, c	3	0	0	0	6	1	0
Petty, p	3	0	1	0	0	6	0
Total	32	4	8	2	27	14	0

Score by innings:
Birmingham .....0 0 0 0 0 4 0 0 *—4
Atlanta .....0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—0

Sumnary—Earned runs—Birmingham, 1. Two-base hits—McGann, Klusman. Struck out—By Petty, 4; by Leach, 8. Bases on balls—by Petty, 2. Umpire—McLaughlin. Time of game—One hour and forty minutes.

Carmencita Upon the Grounds.

The game was half over when the Carmencita party arrived.

She had hoped to get out in time to see the game start, but she had guests at lunch and it was late being served. When it was over she was driven hastily out to Brisbine park. The dancing queen wore a costume of white satin. A rosette of the American and Spanish colors was pinned upon her left shoulder and as she walked up the grand stand, escorted by Messrs. Bosche and Kuhrt, of the board directors, she was a picture. Senor Pablo Eschepare, the leader of the students, and Senor Antonio Montealegre, one of the company, accompanied her. The immense crowd in the grand stand recognized her and broke into applause as she made her way to the gayly decorated box.

The red, white and blue and the red and yellow, the national colors of the United States and of Spain, waved from the box, distinguishing it and making it conspicuous even to the most remote seat on the bleachers.

"It is very pretty," said the dancer, as she took a seat.

She smiled in acknowledgement of the applause, and the first thing after sitting down asked for the colors of the two teams. The Atlantas she designated as el blancos—the whites, their colors being white and blue. The Birminghams were solid blue. Neither club had made a run. Carmencita took in the situation at a glance. One of the Atlantas hit the ball hard.

"Bravo, el blanco!" she cried, and clapped her hands.

The latter was put out at first.

The visitors scored four runs in one inning and she applauded again although her heart was with the home team.

Senor Montealegre knows the game thoroughly and when the star did not understand a play she turned to him.

Leech sent a ballsquarely over the plate. The Birmingham man looked at it but never moved.

"Una estrikas," Carmencita cried (if the orthography is bad it is the fault of the ink). He missed the next and the third.

"Tres estrikas and out," the black-eyed beauty exclaimed, delightedly.

"That makes my heart bleed," she remarked as the Birminghams scored their fourth run.

She still had faith in the "blancos," and turning to Senor Eschepare, said:

"I bet you ten to five on el blancos."

He replied that he did not want to bet against the home team although he had no hope for the boys then. And the senorita won $10 as Van Bibber did at the races, by not betting.

When the game was over, Carmencita's party, which had been joined by Manager Sandford Cohen, of the Deshon Opera Company, and Frank Deshon, waited for the crowd to get out. A large part of the crowd waited for the senorita to pass. The bleachers gave up a good part of their patrons who ran across the grounds, assembled in front of the decorated box and cheered for Carmencita. She got out finally, running a gauntlet of interested eyes. There was a rush and the senorita had to move quickly. A throng collected about her carriage and gave her a rousing cheer as the party drove off.

She had been a mascotte in drawing a crowd if not in making runs for the home team. She enjoyed the game and on the return, passing a Birmingham m return, passing a carriage carrying Birmingham men, called to them:

"You did very well, boys," and then added sotto voce, "but you ought not to have beaten el blancos."

Colcolough Will Pitch Today.

The game today will be called at 4 o'clock and Berryhill will make a stubborn effort to take it.

Colcolough will do the pitching for Atlanta.

Atlantians have never seen the Charleston wonder work yet and are anxious to see him. He is in excellent condition and wants to make his bow before an Atlanta audience. Berryhill believes that he can beat Birmingham with either Campfield or Colcolough in the box and as he is smarting under the shut out the Alabamians gave him yesterday, it is certain that he will do his best today.

The teams will be:

ATLANTA.	Position.	BIRMINGHAM.
Colcolough	Pitcher	Bell
Schabel	Catcher	Sweeny
Porter	First base	Klusman
Ardner	Second base	Mills
Foster or Key	Third base	Niles
McGann	Shortstop	McMahon
Long or Foster	Left field	Broderick
Hill	Center field	Gans
Prescott	Right field	Petty

Long will more than likely be able to play today and if he is Foster will go to third base.

He Was an Umpire.

Nelson, the baseball player, whose foot was crushed off at Austell Sunday morning, had just been appointed a league umpire by President Genslinger, and was en route to Atlanta to officiate when the accident occurred.

Memphis Won Two Games.

Memphis, Tenn., July 4.—(Special.)—Memphis continues her phenomenal playing, winning both of the holiday games today from Montgomery. The grounds were wet from frequent showers, and both in the morning and afternoon the weather was very threatening. Big crowds attended, despite these unfavorable conditions. The attendance in the morning was 1,000, and in the afternoon 3,000. Pitcher Sherwood came off the bench to pitch the morning game for Memphis, and showed that his delivery is much improved. Montgomery could only make four hits off him, while Memphis rapped Gillen for nine safe ones. The errors were largely attributable to the slippery grounds. Duffsey caught the first part of the game for Memphis, but afterward gave way to Bolan.

Score by innings:
Memphis .....0 0 1 4 0 1 0 0 0—6
Montgomery .....0 0 1 0 3 0 0 0 0—4

Batteries—Sherwood, Duffsey and Bolan; Gillen and Pietz. Base hits—Memphis, 9; Montgomery, 4. Errors—Memphis, 3; Montgomery, 4. Earned runs—Memphis, 2. Stolen bases—Phelan and Parks. Double plays—Parks, unassisted. Bases on balls—Memphis, 8; Montgomery, 9. Hit by pitched balls—Duffsey and Lanser. Struck out—By Sherwood, 2; Gillen, 6. Passed balls—Duffsey, 2. Wild pitches—Gillen and Sherwood. Time—2:10. Umpire—Taylor.

The crowd was so dense in the afternoon that it surged even to the foul lines. It was most enthusiastic, and at times critical, poor Mr. Umpire receiving good-natured abuse. Memphis started out by earning a run on Phelan's hit, a sacrifice and Kearns's hit. Daddy Phelan put himself back in grace, by the way, making four hits and a double in five times at the bat. Montgomery earned two in the second on Conley's safe one, Weikart's three-bagger and Behne's single. This was all the visitors made. Memphis earned two more in the fourth on Kearns's hit, Clingman's double and O'Connor's long liner to left field. The other two runs by Memphis were in the sixth, when Kearns went to first on balls, Clingman hit, O'Connor sacrificed and Moss singled.

Score by innings:
Memphis .....1 0 0 2 0 2 0 0 0—5
Montgomery .....0 2 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—2

Batteries—Blue and Bolan; Behne and Pietz. Base hits—Memphis, 12; Montgomery, 5. Errors—Memphis, 2; Montgomery, 3. Earned runs—Memphis, 4; Montgomery, 2. Two-base hits—Clingman and Phelan. Three-bagger—Weikart. Stolen bases—Phelan, 2; Kearns. Double plays—Moss, Bolan and Parks; Stickney, Weikart and Conley; Conley and Behne. Bases on balls—Memphis, 3. Struck out—Meara, 2; Dunn, Moss, Blue and Bolan. Passed balls—Bolan. Time—1:55. Umpire—Taylor.

Macon Wins and Loses.

Chattanooga, Tenn., July 4.—(Special.)—The Macon and Chattanooga teams played two games here today in the presence of upwards of three thousand spectators. The first game was called at 2 o'clock. Bailey did the twirling for the visitors, and Phillips occupied the box for the locals. Macon won by bunching her hits in the fifth and seventh innings. The fielding game put up by both teams was brilliant, four double plays by the home team being notable features.

Score by innings:
Chattanooga .....0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—0
Macon .....0 0 0 0 1 0 1 0 *—2

Summary—Base hits—Chattanooga, 6; Macon, 5. Errors—Chattanooga, 1; Macon, 1. Earned runs—Macon, 1. Two-base hits—Hart, Hess and Somers. Left on bases—Chattanooga, 6; Macon, 7. Struck out—By Bailey, 3; by Phillips, 2. Passed balls—Doyle, 1. Bases on balls—Phillips, 1. Time—1:25. Umpire—Hofford.

The second game was called at 4 o'clock. Bailey again appeared for Macon, and Keenan did the twirling for Chattanooga. The latter was very effective, and up to the seventh inning only allowed one clean hit. Seeing the game was won, he did not exert himself after the seventh. The fielding of both teams was sharp and pretty, the center field work of Crawley being a notable feature.

Score by innings:
Chattanooga .....1 0 0 0 0 1 0 1 0—3
Macon .....0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 1—2

Summary—Base hits—Macon, 8; Chattanooga, 8. Errors—Macon, 1; Chattanooga, 1. Earned runs—Chattanooga, 1. Double plays—Gillen, Weddige and Joanes; Hill, Geiss and Ryan. Left on bases—Chattanooga, 5; Macon, 6. Stolen bases—Chattanooga, 2. Sacrifice hits—Chattanooga, 2. Time—2:20. Umpire—Hofford.

Mobile Wins and Loses.

New Orleans, July 4.—(Special.)—New Orleans played a very listless game in the morning. Mobile playing but little better, but scrambled in with two runs and shut out the locals, the defeat being largely due to Hammert's error. In the second game the locals were victors, and the home agregation played a fine game and had it won up to the eighth inning, when a wild pitch and a wild exchange of throws between the pitcher and catcher allowed Mobile to tie the score. That necessitated extra innings, and while Crowell held Mobile down New Orleans scored the winning run in the twelfth on Flock's hit, two sacrifices and Fuller's error. Fuller's play was rotten. Kelly has some new players coming.

Score by innings—First game—
New Orleans. . . . . 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—0
Mobile. . . . . 0 2 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—2

Batteries—Daniels and Williams for Mobile, Ormsbee and Adams for New Orleans; hits, New Orleans 4, Mobile 2; errors, Mobile 1.
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Second game—
New Orleans. . . . . 0 0 2 0 0 2 0 0 0 0 1—5
Mobile. . . . . 0 0 0 0 0 1 0 2 0 0 0—4

Batteries—Crowell and Adams for New Orleans, Neal and Williams for Mobile; hits, New Orleans 8, Mobile 10; errors, New Orleans 4, Mobile 7.

The Game in Athens.

Athens, Ga., July 4.—(Special.)—Harmony Grove and Athens played ball here today. The game resulted fifteen to four in favor of Athens. The batting work of Quillain and Jackson, for the Grove, and of Vason and Reaves for Athens was very fine.

Baseball in Milledgeville.

Milledgeville, Ga., July 4.—(Special.)—Milledgeville was downed by Sparta in a game of baseball here today by a score of 11 to 9. Several wild throws cost the home boys the game. Herfy, Milledgeville's pitcher, struck out twenty-three Spartans, only three base hits being made.

This Game in Sandersville.

Sandersville, Ga., July 4.—(Special.)—The crack Gordon ball team, composed of a professional battery and four other hired players, from Macon, played Sandersville this afternoon. Gibson was invincible and undoubtedly the best pitcher ever seen in these parts. Strike outs—Gibson 16, with one scratch hit off him. The score was 20 to 2 in favor of the locals.

BIG LEAGUE GAMES.

At St. Louis—Morning game—
St. Louis. . .4 2 0 0 0 3 0 0 0—9. RH 9 E 2
Philadelphia. .0 0 0 0 0 6 0 0 0—2. RH 2 E 2
Batteries—Galvin and Buckley, Keefe and Cross.
Afternoon game—
St. Louis. . . 0 1 0 0 0 0 2 0 0—3. RH 4 E 1
Philadelphia. .1 0 3 0 0 2 0 0 *—6. RH 9 E 2
Batteries—Gleason and Buckley, Carsey and Cross.

Cincinnati—Morning game—
Cincinnati. . .5 0 0 0 0 0 1 3 *—9. RH 9 E 4
Boston. . . . .0 0 0 0 1 0 4 0 2—7. RH 7 E 7
Batteries—Chamberlain and Vaughn, Nichols and Bennett.
Afternoon game—
Cincinnati. . .3 2 1 0 0 0 0 0 0—6. RH 8 E 8
Boston. . . . .0 0 0 0 1 0 4 0 2—7. RH 7 E 7
Batteries—Dwyer, Chamberlain and Vaughn Stivetts and Bennett.

At Pittsburg—Morning game—
Pittsburg. . . .0 2 3 2 0 0 0 0 0—7. RH 7 E 4
Baltimore. . . .0 0 0 0 0 0 1 1 0—2. RH 2 E 3
Batteries—Baldwin and Mack, Gunson, Robinson and McMahon.
Afternoon game—
Pittsburg. . . .2 1 0 2 0 0 4 0 1—10. RH 10 E 1
Baltimore. . . .0 0 0 0 0 0 1 1 0—2. RH 2 E 3
Batteries—Miller and Terry, Freeman and Gunson.

At Cleveland—Morning game—
Cleveland. . . .0 0 2 2 0 1 0 2 2—9. RH 9 E 0
Washington. . .0 1 1 0 0 0 0 0 0—2. RH 2 E 3
Batteries—Cuppy and Zimmer, Knell and Milligan.
Afternoon game—
Cleveland. . . .1 0 0 0 0 2 0 0 0—3. RH 9 E 4
Washington. . .3 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 *—4. RH 7 E 4
Batteries—Rettige and O'Connor, Killen and McGuire.

At Louisville—Morning game—
Louisville. . . .0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—0. RH 0 E 6
Brooklyn. . . .0 0 1 0 2 0 0 1 *—4. RH 4 E 1
Batteries—Viau and Dowse, Stein and Daley.
Afternoon game—
Louisville. . . .0 1 1 0 0 0 1 0 1—4. RH 6 E 4
Brooklyn. . . .0 0 2 2 1 0 0 2 0 *—7. RH 11 E 1
Batteries—Saunders and Dowse, and Haddock and Daly.

At Chicago—Morning game—
Chicago. . . .1 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 0—2. RH 2 E 0
New York. . .0 3 1 2 0 0 0 0 5 *—11. RH 11 E 1
Batteries—Gumbert and Schriver, Ruste and Boyle.
Afternoon game—
Chicago. . . .1 0 0 2 2 0 2 2 3—12. RH 12 E 0
New York. . .1 3 1 0 0 0 0 0 0—5. RH 7 E 6
Batteries—Hutchinson and Schriver, Chane and Doyle.

HOW THE HORSES RUN.

Brighton Beach Races.

Brighton Beach Race Track, July 4.—Seven races were decided here this afternoon before an assemblage of fully fifteen thousand Fourth of July pleasure seekers. The weather was fair, the track fast and speculation brisk with sixty-four bookmakers and mutual machines as stakeholders.

First race, five furlongs, Lord Dalmeny won, Early Blossom second, Busted third. Time, 1:01 1-2.

Second race, four furlongs, Play or Pay won, Reginald second, Bliss Colt third. Time, 49 1-2.

Third race, seven furlongs, Nomad won, Zampot second, Tradesman third. Time, 1:29 3-4.

Fourth race, mile and a sixteenth, Lowlander won, Badge second, King Crab third. Time, 1:46.

Fifth race, one mile, Cynosure won, Tom Tough second, Experience third. Time, 1:43 1-4.

Sixth race, seven furlongs, Ballyhoo won, Crochet second, Long Lance third. Time, 1:29 3-4.

Seventh race, steeplechase, short course, Delaware won, Clamor second, Ecarte third. Time, 3:16.

Monmouth Park Races.

Monmouth Park, July 4.—First race, six furlongs, Correction won, Kingston second, Picnicer third. Time, 1:13 1-2.

Second race, Independence stakes, six furlongs, St. Michael won, Womanche second, Spartan third. Time, 1:15.

Third race, Fourth of July handicap, first division, Tournament won, Madstone second, Reckon third. Time, 1:43.

Furth race, Ocean stakes, mile and a furlong, Longstreet won, Entre second. Time, 2:00.

Fifth race, second division of Fourth of July handicap, one mile, Sir Matthew won, Candelabra second, Kildeer third. Time, 1:43 1-2.

Sixth race, seven furlongs, Arab won, Fremont second, Volunteer II third. Time, 1:20 1-4.

Seventh race, five and a half furlongs, Little Mid won, Rightaway second, Perrier-Jouet third. Time, 1:08 3-4.

Washington Park Races.

Chicago, July 4.—First race, five furlongs, Miss Spot won, Belle Blackburn second, Darevela third. Time, 1:14 1-2.

Second race declared off.

Third race, one mile, Sir Bevys won, Content second, Gilford third. Time, 2:03 1-2.

Fourth race, Sheridan stakes, $1,500 added, mile and a quarter, Newton won, Cicero second, Seal Diver third. Time, 2:32 1-4.

Fifth race, six furlongs, first heat Guido won, Shoshone second, Big Three third. Time, 1:27 1-2. Second heat Guido won, Shoshone second, Big Three third. Time, 1:30.

Sixth race, one mile, Patrick won, Lord Willowbrook second, Elrayo third. Time, 2:00 1-4.

Seventh race, six furlongs, Ruby Payne won, John Winfield second, Great Dixon third. Time, 1:30 1-2.

CITY NOTES.

The largest and most luscious plums of the season were seen by a Constitution man yesterday morning. Mr. R. A. Hemphill brought in a few handsome clusters from Hollywood farm, where they were grown by Mr. W. J. Pitts. These tempting plums were introduced by the J. T. Lovett Company, of Little Silver, N. J., and the Hollywood specimens show that they are exactly suited to our soil and climate. The trees are so heavily burdened with them that the limbs are breaking down under a weight which they are unable to support.

Judge Andrew E. Calhoun, the distinguished judge of the Atlanta police court, has gone to Tate Springs to enjoy a well-earned rest. There is no official position in the city which requires closer attention and harder work than that of the recorder, and after having to spend so much time in passing judgment on the kaleidoscope of crime which is presented in the police court, a season spent at Tate will do much to reinvigorate the genial buoyancy for which the judge is famous.

A GAME FIGHT

Will Be Put Up by Billy Murray and McElroy.

THEY HAVE SIGNED TO DO BATTLE,

And Will Meet in Birmingham Thursday, July 21st, for Two Hundred a Side and Gate Money.

Billy Murray, the Atlanta athlete, and Gene McElroy, the Birmingham slugger, have signed articles, and will battle to a finish in Birmingham on Thursday, July 21st.

The fight will be for blood, too, and the best man will pull down a snug bank account.

Murray and McElroy have been trying to get together for some time, and now that the mill is a dead certainty, lovers of the fistic art are assured of an opportunity to see the best, grandest and hardest fight ever put up in this section of the state.

Two weeks ago there was a correspondence between the two men, and a mill had about been arranged for the 4th, yesterday, when Murray's friends jerked him back. The Atlanta boy has never been licked up to this time, and has a clean record. His friends were induced to believe that McElroy was too big for him, and thinking that he had mighty little chance to win, they refused to let him go in.

McElroy came over from Birmingham yesterday with his backer, Morgan Kerr, and at once began a search for Murray. They were both mighty anxious to make a go with the boy, and followed up their start with a dogged determination until the mill was arranged.

McElroy is about three sizes larger than Murray, and like Murray, is a gentlemanly, even fellow with a handsome face and good manners. No one would ever suspect him of being a devotee of the prize ring. He, too, has a clean record—a record of unbroken victories.

After McElroy and Murray had been brought face to face in the presence of their respective backers, it didn't take long to prepare an article which was satisfactory to both and which was signed.

By the article the men are to meet in Birmingham on Thursday, July 21st, and fight to the finish for the gate receipts, two-thirds to the winner, and one-third to the loser. In addition to that, the Birmingham people guarantee that the purse will not be less than five hundred dollars. The men are backed for $200 each, a forfeit of $50 now being up.

The articles stipulate that the fight shall be with four-ounce gloves, Marquis of Queensberry rules to govern; to a finish, for $200 a side, the net gate receipts to be divided, 65 per cent to the winner and 35 per cent to the loser, less $35, which shall go to Murray for expenses to Birmingham and return; McElroy must weigh 160 pounds or less, at the ring side, or forfeit one-half of the 65 per cent if he weighs more, provided, of course, he wins the side bet of $200, $100 of which is now deposited with E. C. Bruffey, shall be made good within the next six days.

The fight will be a good one.

LAWN TENNIS GAMES.

Large Crowds Are in Attendance—The Plays This Afternoon.

The Dixie Tennis Club tournament has been quite a success. The preliminary games here have been played off and the contest has now narrowed down to four men. One of these four will be the champion of the club.

The games played up to last night were:

Angier-Chalfant—Chalfant won by default.

Chalfant-Fontaine—Chalfant again won, score in last game, 6-5, 6-5.

This was the most interesting game played.

In the next set are Broyles-Hills, Hills won; Howard-Hills, Howard won; Howard-Trawick, Howard won; score of last game, 6-1, 6-0.

The next game was LaHatte-Webster, Webster won, again by default; Webster-McCarthy, McCarthy won; 6-2, 6-0.

The last set, Kimball won twice by default; Walker-Kimball, Kimball won; score, 6-0, 6-0.

The four, Kimball, McCarthy, Howard and Chalfant remain.

Chalfant and Kimball are said to be the best men of the four, but it will be hard to tell which will win.

The semi-final and final will be played this afternoon at

THE SUPREME COURT

Decisions Rendered Monday, July 4, 1892.

REPORTED FOR THE CONSTITUTION

By Peoples and Stevens, Reporters of the Supreme Court of Georgia.

Markey v. The State. Criminal law. Selling liquor to a minor. Evidence. Before Judge Westmoreland. Criminal court of Atlanta.

1. Even if a person indicted for furnishing intoxicating liquors to a minor without written consent of the parent or guardian can defend the charge by showing that he had exercised due diligence to ascertain whether the alleged minor was of full age or not, and as the result of such diligence believed bona fide that he was of full age, and acted upon that belief in furnishing the liquors, evidence that the minor appeared to be, and told the accused he was, over twenty-one years of age, and made similar representations to various barkeepers, which representations were known to the accused, would not be sufficient to establish due diligence, and for this reason the exclusion of the evidence is not cause for a new trial. no additional evidence tending to show diligence being offered, and the accused in his statement to the court and jury denying that he furnished any liquor to the alleged minor, or that he knew him.

2. The evidence warranted the verdict, and there was no error in denying a new trial.

Judgment affirmed.

Hall, O'Bryan and R. J. Jordan, for plaintiff in error.

A. W. Thomas, solicitor, contra.

Thomas v. The State. Criminal law. Murder. Practice. New trial. Verdict. Before Judge Jenkins. Jasper superior court.

1. Facts which are appropriate matter for a motion for continuance are not ground for a new trial where no such motion was made, although the trial took place shortly after the homicide was committed, and although the accused was confined in jail continuously from the commission of the homicide up to the time of trial, and had not employed counsel before the case was called.

2. The evidence warranted the verdict, and the verdict was not rendered illegal by failure of the jury to recommend imprisonment for life as the punishment, such recommendation being in all cases matter of discretion with the jury.

Judgment affirmed.

Preston & Giles, for plaintiff in error.

W. A. Little, attorney general, and H. G. Lewis, solicitor general, by Hines, Shubrick & Felder, contra.

Walker v. The State. Criminal law. Demand for trial. Waiver. Before Judge Martin. Marion superior court.

A demand for trial made under section 4648 of the code is not waived or rendered unavailable by postponing the trial on the last day of the second term at the request of the prisoner on account of the temporary absence of a bailiff in the service of the court, the bailiff being a witness whose attendance at the trial the prisoner desired, and the postponement requested and allowed being only temporary, and not intended as a continuance for the term. Whether the bailiff returned or not, and whether the court was informed of his return or not, the statutory requirement to try the prisoner at that term should have been complied with; and this not having been done, he was entitled to be "absolutely discharged and acquitted of the offense charged in the indictment." A waiver of the demand would result from a continuance granted on the motion of the accused, or from any other act on his part showing affirmatively that he consented to passing the case until a subsequent term.

Judgment reversed.

Worrill & Little, for plaintiff in error.

A. A. Carson, solicitor general, by Harrison & Peeples, contra.

Williams v. The State. Criminal law. Liquor selling. Indictment. Before Judge Roberts. Pulaski superior court.

According to the principle ruled in Carter v. The State, 68 Ga. 826, and Stringfield v. The State, 25 Ga. 474, an indictment founded on the general local option liquor law of September 18, 1885, which charges that the accused, and for a valuable consideration did directly sell a quantity of intoxicating liquors, contrary to the laws of the state, etc., is sufficient without specifying the kind or quantity sold, the price, or the name of the purchaser. Nor is it necessary for the indictment to negative any of the exceptions contained in the statute, such exceptions not being inserted in the enacting clause which defines and describes he offense.

Judgment affirmed.

Martin & Smith, for plaintiff in error.

Tom Eason, solicitor general, by Hines, Shubrick & Felder, contra.

THE COURT OF ORDINARY.

It Was a Busy Day with Judge Calhoun Yesterday.

Judge Calhoun was a busy man yesterday and from 9 o'clock in the morning until late in the afternoon he was continually occupied with the work of his court.

It presented anything but a holiday appearance. Guardians, trustees, administrators and executors, applicants for letters of appointment and dismissal, and other petioners thronged the office throughout the entire day.

Anton L. Kontz, guardian for Fred Seltzer, was granted letter of dismissal.

T. W. Latham was appointed guardian for Lunie H. Brooks.

W. A. Haynes, administrator with will annexed, was granted letters of dismissal.

The will of Levi C. Walker was proved in solemn form and admitted to record.

Administration on the estate of Ella R. Kidwell was vested in the county administrator.

A petition having been filed and a due notice thereof having been given, the ordinary has called an election in Oak Grove district to decide the question as to a fence or stock law in the district. It will occur July 10th.

All defaulting appointees of the court who have failed to make their annual returns will be cited next August and required to show cause for their default. If they fail to answer they will be dismissed from office.

THEY WAIVED EXAMINATION.

Foster Blodgett Gave Bond Yesterday and Goss Will Follow Suit Today.

Foster Blodgett and William T. Goss, charged with robbing the United States mail, were arraigned before Judge Haight yesterday afternoon.

They both waived formal examination and offered to give bond for their appearance when the case should be called upon its merits.

The bond was fixed at $1,000 and Blodgett, among his friends and by reason of the influence of his family, very readily made up the amount in good security. Goss, however, was not so fortunate, and after making an unsuccessful effort he went back to jail to spend the night in his cell.

The bond, however, will be made up today, and Goss will be given his liberty, subject to the action of the jury in the trial of his case.

Another case tried before Judge Haight yesterday was that of Filipps Sansone, a dealer in tropical wares, and a native of Italy. The charge upon which the countryman of Caesar was arraigned before Judge Haight was that of passing counterfeit money. He protested his innocence in a medley of Italian and English, and gave bond in the sum of $300.

The genial and clever judge was busy throughout the day, notwithstanding the fact that it was the Fourth of July. He celebrated the declaration of his country's independence by upholding the dignity of her law.

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Several hundred Georgians leave today for New York via the Richmond and Danville railroad. Two solid Pullman vestibuled trains will leave Atlanta at 12:40 p. m. Tickets will be on sale from Atlanta to New York and return July 5th, 6th and 7th and to Saratoga and return July 5th to 13th. Three trains daily from Atlanta leave at 7:05 a. m., 12:40 p. m. and 7:50 p. m. with Pullman sleeping cars from Atlanta to New York without change. The teachers' special for Saratoga will leave Atlanta Friday evening at 7:05 and will be attached to the congressional special from Washington on the evening of July 9th for Saratoga. The superintendents of education of the different states will accompany the party. The Richmond and Danville was selected as the official route from Atlanta.

AT THE EDGEWOOD.

"The Mikado" Brilliantly Received Yesterday Afternoon and Last Night.

Under most brilliant auspices did the MacCollin Opera Company inaugurate its fourth week's engagement at the Edgewood Avenue theater yesterday afternoon with a matinee and last night in "The Mikado." For the initial performance it was superior to any performance of "The Mikado" ever given on an Atlanta stage. This is putting it very strong, but a just criticism can only be written after a performance has been thoroughly analyzed. In this instance such has been the case. Audiences as a rule express approval or condemnation, as the productions deserve, and accepting this as a rule to go by, "The Mikado" as sung by the MacCollin company yesterday and last night greatly pleased all who heard it.

Mikado	Mr. Leonard
Pooh Bah	Mr. Pearson
Ko Ko	Mr. MacCollin
Nanki Pooh	Mr. Apple
Pish Tush	Mr. Burrows
Yum Yum	Miss Hall
Katisha	Miss Leyton
Peep Boo	Miss Taylor
Petti Sing	Miss Chaney

In the first place the scenic effects and stage paraphernalia is complete and correct in its appointments, and the display adds greatly in making the productions of the opera harmonious and artistic. All of the stationary stage business is very appropriate, and to Stage Manager MacCollin all of this work is principally due.

The principals were all immense favorites and were very reliable in their work. It is true Miss Hall was suffering from a severe hoarseness, but despite this fact her reception amounted to an ovation. Her Yum Yum is bewitching, dashing and clear cut, and she charmed all who heard her. She makes the character all the authors intended it to be, and that means an artistic performance. Mr. Apple, the sweet lyric tenor, made an ideal Nanki Pooh. His "Wandering Minstrel" solo is captivating and is sung with great musical intelligence. Mr. Pearson as Pooh Bah created a furore with his euphonious basso. Mr. Leonard as the mikado was truly great. His song "My Object Is Sublime" was quite a favorite and he was compelled to respond with several encores. Mr. Burrows as Pish Tush was received warmly. Miss Caseday's Petti Sing is captivating beyond description. Miss Leyton as Katisha was the object of much admiration. Miss Taylor as Peep Boo knows the character to perfection, and for that reason an enjoyable presentation of the role is given. But of all the rich Ko Ko's you have ever seen, Mr. MacCollin must be declared the finest. It's an interpretation that no one ever dreamed of. The man is certainly a comedian of the legitimate type. In the dual scene with Katisha, his love making was so ludicrously funny that it makes one's side ache from laughing at his original antics. Too much praise cannot be given Mr. MacCollin for his fine work in this character. The chorus' singing was fine, and the costumes were unusually attractive.

"The Mikado" will be the bill tonight and it is assured that a fine performance of this popular opera will be given.

THE CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR.

The First Delegation Left Last Night and the Others Go Tonight.

The vestibuled train bearing the first part of the Atlantians going to the eleventh international convention of the Christian Endeavor, to be held in New York city, left last night at 12:05 o'clock.

Captain A. B. Carrier was in charge.

There were four sleepers full of delegates. The train was sidetracked near the union depot at 8 o'clock in order that the tourists might enjoy an unbroken night's rest.

The remainder of the party will leave tonight at the same hour. The train will run through to Albany, N. Y., via Niagara Falls. From there the party will continue its journey down the Hudson by day boat to New York city, arriving at 5:30 o'clock p. m.

This is a great trip and well worth the seeing.

The tickets are good until September 13th, with the privilege of stopping over at any point.

The convention will be an interesting one, and will be well attended by people from every state.

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MEETINGS.

A regular communication of Georgia Lodge No. 96, F. and A. M. will be held in Masonic Hall (Old Capitol Building), this evening at 8 o'clock. Business and work. All Masons duly qualified are cordially invited to attend.

F. M. FREMONT, W. M.
R. M. ROSE, Secretary.

FINANCE AND TRADE.

CONSTITUTION OFFICE,
ATLANTA, July 4, 1892.

Local Bond and Stock Quotations.

New York exchange buying at par; selling at $1.50@$2.50 premium.

The following are bid and asked quotations:

STATE AND CITY BONDS.

New Ga. 3½s 27 to 30 years	98	100	Atlanta 6s, L. D.	116	
New Ga. 3½s, 30 to 40 years	98½	100½	Atlanta 6s, S. D.	109	
			Atlanta 5s, L. D.	100	
New Ga. 4½s, 1916	109	111	Atlanta 4½s	97	
Georgia 7s, 1896	107½		Augusta 7s, L. D.	107	
Savannah 6s	105½		Macon 6s	111½	
Atlanta 8s, 1902	120		Columbus 6s	106	
Atlanta 7s, 1904	112½		Rome graded	100	
Atlanta 7s, 1899	102½		Waterworks 6s	103	
			Rome 5s	90	

ATLANTA BANK STOCKS.

Atlanta Nat'l	350		Lowry B'k Co.	140	150
Atlanta B. Co.	121	125	Atlanta Trust & Banking Co	100	105
Ger L'n & B. Co.	100	102			
Merch. Bank	150		Am'n Banking & Trust Co.	100	
Bank S. of Ga.	130				
Gate City Nat.	145		South'n Bank's & Trust Co.	100	103
Capital City	113	120			

RAILROAD BONDS.

Ga. 6s, 1897	100		Ga. Pacific, 1st.	98	100
Ga. 6s, 1910	110		Ga. Pacific, 2d		
Ga. 6s, 1922	113		A. T. & L., 1st 7s, 1901		
Central 7s, 1893	101½		Mar'tta & N. G.		30
Char. Col. & A.	100		S., A. & M., 1st	75	78
At. & Florida					

RAILROAD STOCKS.

Georgia	168		Atl. & Say.	118	
Southwestern	92		A. & W. P.	101	105
Central	86		do deben.	96	
Cent. deben	68	70	E. Tn. V. & G.	103	

THE COTTON MARKETS.

CONSTITUTION OFFICE,
ATLANTA, July 4.

Today was a holiday in the New York cotton and stock markets.

Local—Market quiet; middling 7c.

By Telegraph.

LIVERPOOL, July 4—4:00 p. m.—Cotton spot dull and in buyers favor; middling uplands 4; sales 6,000 bales; American 5,000; speculation and export 500; receipts 13,000; American 7,000; uplands low middling clause July delivery 3 55-64, 3 56-64; July and August delivery 3 55-64, 3 56-64; August and September delivery 3 55-64, buyers; September and October delivery 3 61-64, sellers; October and November delivery 3 93-64, 4; November and December delivery 4 1-64, 4 2-64; December and January delivery 4 4-64, sellers; January and February delivery 4 6-64, value; futures opened barely steady.

GRAIN, PROVISIONS, ETC.

CONSTITUTION OFFICE,
ATLANTA, July 4, 1892.

Groceries.

ATLANTA, July 4 — Roasted coffee — Arbuckle's 19.60c per 100 lbs cases; Lion 19.60c; Leverings 19.60c. Green—Extra choice 20c; choice good 19c; fair 18c; common 16½c. Sugar—Granulated 5c; powdered 5¼c; cut loaf 6¼c; white extra C 4¾c; New Orleans yellow clarified 4¼c; yellow extra, C 4c. Syrup — New Orleans choice 45@50c; prime 35@40c; common 30@35c. Molasses—Genuine Cuba 35@38c; imitation 22@25c. Teas—Black 30@55c; green 40@90c. Nutmeg 65@70c. Cloves 25@30c. Cinnamon 10@12½c. Allspice 10@11c. Jamaica ginger 12c. Singapore pepper 14c. Mace $1.00. Rice—Fair 7¼c; good 6¾c; common 5½@6c; imported Japan 6@7c. Salt—Hawley's dairy $1.50; icecream $1.10; Virginia dairy —. Cheese—Full cream, Cheddars —; flats 12c. White fish—½ bbls $1.00; pails 60c. Soaps—Tallow, 100 bars, 75 lbs, $3.00@3.75; turpentine, 60 bars, 60 lbs $2.25@2.50. Candles—Paraffin 12c; star 14c. Matches—4.00@4.50; 200s $3.00@3.75; 60s, 5 gross, $3.75. Soda—Kegs, bulk, 5c; do. 1 lb packages 6½c. cases, 1 lb 6¾c; do 1 and ½ lbs 8c; do. ½ lbs 8¼c. Crackers—XXX soda 6¼c; XXX butter 7¼c; XXX pearl oysters 6c; shell and excelsior 7c; lemon cream 8c; XXX ginger snaps 9c; cornhills 9c. Candy—Assorted stick 6¼c; French mixed 12½c. Canned goods—Condensed milk $5.00@5.50; imitation mackerel $3.00@4.00; salmon $600@7.50; F. W. oysters $1.75; L. W. $1.75; corn $2.50@3.50; tomatoes $1.00. Ball potash $3.20. Starch—Pearl 4½c; lump 5c; nickel package $3.50; celluloid $6.00. Pickles—Gallon mixed, pints, $1.00@1.40; quarts $1.50@1.80. Powder—Rifle, kegs, $5.50; ½ kegs $3.00; ¼ kegs $1.65. Shot—$1.70 ₩ sack.

Flour, Grain and Meal.

ATLANTA, July 4—Flour—First patent $5.50; second patent $5.00; extra fancy $4.50; fancy $4.25; family $3.50@4.00. Corn—No. 1 white 70c; No. 2 white 70c; mixed 68c. Oats—White 47c; mixed 45c. Hay—Choice timothy, large bales, $1.00; No. 1 timothy, large bales, 95c; choice timothy small bales, 95c; No. 1 timothy, small bales, 90c; No. 2 timothy, small bales, 85c. Meal—Plain 48c; bolted 50c. Wheat bran—large sacks, 90c; small sacks 95c. Cotton seed meal—$1.10 ₩ cwt. Steam feed—$1.35 ₩ cwt. Grits—Pearl $3.50.

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ATLANTA, July 5—Pears—LeConte $3.00@3.50 crate. Lemons $5.00. Oranges —Messina $4.00@4.50. Cocoanuts 3½@4c. Pineapples $1.00@1.50 ₩ doz. Bananas—Selected $1.50@2.00. Figs 13@18c. Raisins—New California $2.25; ½ boxes $1.30; ¼ boxes 75c. Currants 7@8c. Leghorn citron 20@22c. Nuts—Almonds 16c; pecans 12@14c. Brazil 10@10c. Filberts 11c. Walnuts 16c. Peanuts—Virginia, electric light 5½@6c; fancy handpicked 4½@5c; North Carolina 4@5c.

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ATLANTA, July 4— Clear rib sides, boxed 8¼c; loose cured bellies 9½c. Sugar-cured hams 12@14c, according to brand and average; California 8½@8¾. Breakfast bacon 10¾c. Lard—Leaf 8¼c.

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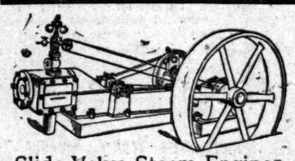

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SHERIFF'S TAX SALES for August, 1892. Will be sold before the courthouse door, in the city of Atlanta, on the first Tuesday in August next, within the legal hours of sale, the following property, to-wit: the same being seized and sold under and by virtue of fi fas issued by Andrew P. Stewart, tax collector of Fulton county, as the property of parties named below, for their state and county taxes for the year 1891:

A lot on Crew street, in the second ward of Atlanta, adjoining the property of Wing & Scott, part of land lot No. 74, in the 14th district of Fulton county, Georgia; containing 50x200 feet, more or less, as the property of T. C. Battle.

Also at the same time and place a lot on Whitehall street, in the first ward of Atlanta, adjoining the property of McArthur & Hammond, part of land lot No. 77, 14th district of Fulton county, Georgia; containing 19x175 feet, more or less, as the property of Clark Howell, trustee.

Also at the same time and place a lot on Love street, in the third ward of Atlanta, adjoining the property of Haas, part of land lot No. 43, in 14th district of Fulton county, Georgia; containing one-half acre, more or less, as the property of E. J. Jordan.

Also at the same time and place a lot on Orchard and Lovejoy streets, in the fifth ward of Atlanta, part of land lot No. 79, in 14th district of Fulton county, Georgia; containing 50x120 feet, more or less, as the property of Mrs. Julia E. Harris.

Also at the same time and place part of land lot 22, in 14th district of Fulton county, containing ten acres, more or less. as the property of the Lynwood Land Co.

Also at the same time and place part of land lots Nos. 185, 188, 150, 154, 222, 202 and 219, in the 14th district of Fulton county, Georgia; containing 430 acres, more or less, as the property of M. V. Lyon.

Also at the same time and place a lot on Fair street, in the third ward of Atlanta, adjoining the property of Doyle and Mason, part of land lot No. 53, in 14th district of Fulton county, Georgia, containing 45x209 feet, more or less, as the property of Mamie McMahon.

Also at the same time and place part of land lot No. 62, in the 14th district of Fulton county, Georgia, containing ten acres, more or less, as the property of D. N. Martin.

Also at the same time and place a lot on Berrean avenue, in the third ward of Atlanta, adjoining the property of McGufer & Co., part of land lot No. 20, in 14th district of Fulton county, Georgia, containing six and one-half acres, more or less, as the property of D. N. Martin & Co.

Also at the same time and place a lot on Windsor and Stephens streets, in the second ward of Atlanta, adjoining the property of Miller and Shropshire, part of land lot No. 75, in 14th district of Fulton county, containing 50x96 feet, more or less, as the property of Mrs. M. F. Meigs.

Also at the same time and place a lot on Windsor street, in the second ward of Atlanta, part of land lot No. 85, in 14th district of Fulton county, Georgia, containing 50x200 feet, more or less, as the property of Mrs. C. P. Wilson.

Also at the same time and place part of land lot No. 7, in the 14th district of Fulton county, Georgia, containing four acres, more or less, as the property of E. E. Camp.

Also at the same time and place part of land lot No. 93, in the 17th district of Fulton county, Georgia, containing thirty acres, more or less, as the property of Kemp and Austin.

Also at the same time and place part of land lot No. 81, in the 14th district of Fulton county, Georgia, containing one-quarter acre, more or less, as the property of Martha C. Oshields.

Also at the same time and place part of land lot No. 134, in the 17th district of Fulton county, Georgia, containing 100 acres, more or less, as the property of Robert T. Williams.

Also at the same time and place part of land lot No. 81, in the 14th district of Fulton county, Georgia, containing one-eighth acre, more or less, as the property of James A. Ward.

Also at the same time and place part of land lot No. 57, in 17th district of Fulton county, Georgia, containing thirty acres, more or less, as the property of W. P. Walker.

July3-d4t JAMES W. MORROW, Sheriff.

GEORGIA, FULTON COUNTY.—In pursuance of and under the powers granted in a deed and mortgage executed by Mrs. Martha C. O'Shields, of said county, to the Mutual Loan and Banking Company, on the 31st day of October, 1891, conveying the title and covering the interest that said party has or may have had in and to a certain tract or parcel of land situated, lying and being in land lot 81, of the fourteenth district of said Fulton county, on the east side of Warren avenue, near Curran street, commencing at the corner of Warren H. Mashburn's lot and running southwardly along said Warren avenue fifty feet, thence eastwardly 121 feet, thence northwardly 68 feet, thence westwardly 125 feet to the starting point; being lot 14 of the subdivision of Pattison's two-acre block; the said grantee having made default for more than sixty days in the payment of the notes, which said deed and mortgage were given to secure the said The Mutual Loan and Banking Company, will sell at public outcry, before the courthouse door, in the city of Atlanta, said county, between the legal hours of sale, on Tuesday, the 12th day of July, 1892, to the highest bidder, for cash, the above described premises. To be sold for the purpose of paying the debt which said notes evidence, which is due said association.

THE MUTUAL LOAN AND BANKING CO.,
By Its Attorneys at Law,
SIMMONS & CORRIGAN.
June 14-5t tues

GEORGIA, FULTON COUNTY.—Ordinary's Office, March 7, 1892.—Clifford L. Anderson, administrator on the estate of Abel Milles, deceased, represents that he has fully discharged the duties of his said trust, and prays for letters of dismission. This is, therefore, to notify all persons concerned to show cause, if any they can, on or before the first Monday in June next, why said administrator should not be discharged from said trust.

W. L. CALHOUN, Ordinary.
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SHERIFF'S SALES FOR THE MONTH OF JULY.—Will be sold before the courthouse door in the city of Atlanta, Fulton county, Georgia, on the first Tuesday of July next, within the legal hours of sale the following property, to-wit: Part of land lot 13, in the 14th district of Fulton county, Georgia, beginning on the south side of Wiley street at a point seventy-seven feet east of Porter street and running thence south one hundred and fifty feet to a ten-foot alley, thence east fifty-two feet, thence north one hundred and fifty feet to Wiley street, thence west fifty-two feet to the beginning. Also beginning on the south side of Wiley street at a point two hundred and seven feet east of Porter street and running south one hundred and fifty feet to the said ten-foot alley, thence east fifty-two feet, thence north one hundred and fifty feet to Wiley street, thence west along Wiley street fifty-two feet to beginning. The first described tract being lots 4 and 5, and the second tract, lots 9 and 10 of the plat of the Smith, Wright & Burney subdivision, as said by Wilson & Logan, real estate agents, November 28, 1890, and April 10, 1891. Levied on as the property of Charles A. Kramer, to satisfy a fi fa issued from the N. P. and J. P. court of the 1026th district G. M., in favor of C. W. Smith, R. E. Wright and T. W. Birney, versus the said Charles A. Kramer; property levied upon by J. M. Latham, L. C., and defendant notified.

Also, at the same time and place, the following property, to-wit: All that tract or parcel of land in the city of Atlanta, Fulton county, Georgia, being part of land lot 110, of the 14th district, of the said county, commencing at the northeast corner of property conveyed by J. I. Miller to Emily Cox, October 2, 1882, on the west side of Arthur street and running south along said Arthur street one hundred and eighty-nine feet to Riley's lot, thence west along said Riley's lot two hundred feet, thence south seventy-five feet to the north line of original lot, No. 8 of the Jett subdivision, thence west eighty-five feet to an alley in the rear of Charlotte Willis's lot, thence north two hundred and sixty-four feet, thence east two hundred and eighty-five feet to the point of beginning. Levied on as the property of Emily Cox by R. T. Harper, L. C., to satisfy a fi fa issued from the J. P. court of the 1026th district, G. M., in favor of Beatie & Lampkin versus the said Emily Cox.

Also at the same time and place the following property, to-wit: Twenty-six acres of land being part of land lot 197, in the 17th district of Fulton county, Georgia, commencing on the south line of said land lot at a point that was John Long's corner in the year 1882, thence west along the original line four hundred and ninety and one-half yards, thence north two hundred and fifty-seven and one-half yards, thence east four hundred and ninety and one-half yards, thence south one hundred and fifty-seven and one-half yards to the beginning corner; levied on as the property of Glenn Howell to satisfy two fi fas, issued from the J. P. court of the 1328th district G. M. in favor of J. M. Bentley and Mrs. O.M. Bridges vs. the said Glenn Howell.

Also at the same time and place the following property to-wit: All that certain tract or parcel of land in the city of Atlanta, county of Fulton, state of Georgia, commencing at the southwesterly corner of Marietta street and North avenue (formerly Emma street) running southerly along the line of Marietta street three hundred and ninety (390) feet, thence westerly at right angles to Marietta street forty-two (42) feet, more or less, to the right of way of the Western and Atlantic railroad, thence northerly along the line of said right of way three hundred and eighty (380) feet, to the line of North avenue, thence easterly along the line of North avenue fifteen (15) feet to the place of beginning; levied on as the property of the Atlanta Bridge and Axle Company to satisfy a fi fa issued from the city court of Atlanta, Fulton county, Georgia, in favor of the Merchants' National bank of Rome, Ga., versus the said Atlanta Bridge and Axle Company, principal, and W. B. Miles, security on appeal bond.

Also at the same time and place the following property to-wit: All that certain city lot situated on the corner of Garnett and Forsyth streets, in the city of Atlanta, Fulton county, Georgia, and running back to the fence between M. E. Dorman and the lot now being described, thence westwardly to the fence which is the dividing line between the property conveyed and the property of Caroline Elchberg, thence along the fence last aforesaid to Forsyth street, thence up Forsyth street to the starting point, levied on as the property of the defendant, Caroline Elchberg, to satisfy a fi. fa. issued from the Fulton superior court in favor of Mrs. W. M. Von Kalckstein versus Mrs. Caroline Elchberg, principal, and L. Cohen, security.

Also at the same time and place the following property to-wit: That tract or parcel of land, being the south half lot No. 47, in the town of Bellwood, in land lot 111, in the 14th district of Fulton county, fronting 100 feet on the west side of Jackson street and running west along the north side of Abbott street sixty-one feet; levied on as the property of Jeff Thomas, to satisfy a fi. fa. issued from the J. P. court of the 1234th district G. M. of said county in favor of C. J. Simmons versus Jeff Thomas.

Also at the same time and place the following property to-wit: An undivided half interest to the following described parcel of land to-wit: land lot 56 of the 14th district of originally Henry now Fulton county, Georgia, beginning at a point on the Jonesboro road on the south side of Barrows avenue one hundred and ninety-three feet, more or less, southerly from the rock wall named in a deed from Mrs. Powell Hance, Sr., to C. G. Brown and dated May 6, 1887, and extending southerly along the Jonesboro road ninety feet, thence on a line parallel with the alley named in said deed, easterly eighty-nine feet, more or less, half of the distance to the McDonough road, thence northwesterly ninety feet, more or less, thence along the line of the south side of Barrows avenue fifty-five feet, more or less, being half of the distance from McDonough road to the Jonesboro road, containing one-sixth acre, more or less; levied on as the property of the defendant, John Crolley, to satisfy a fi. fa. issued from the J. P. court of the 646 district G. M. of Cowata county, in favor of Nelson, Morris & Co. versus the said John Crolley, levy made by R. T. Harper, L. C.

Also, at the same time and place, the following property, to-wit: Five shares of stock of the Taylor, Moore & Legge Drug Company, said stock being the property of George Legge. Levied on as property of the said George Legge to satisfy a fi fa issued from the J. P. court of the 1234th district, G. M., Fulton county, in favor of Taylor & Williams versus Peacock & Legge. Levy made by M. J. Smith, L. C.

Also, at the same time and place, the following property, to-wit: All that tract or parcel of land lying and being in the first ward of the city of Atlanta, in land lot 105 of originally Henry, now Fulton county, Georgia, and further described as follows: Beginning at an alley on the west side of Vine street about one hundred and fifty feet north of West Fair street and running thence north along the west side of Vine street twenty-five feet, more or less, thence west fifty feet, more or less, to Alexander's line, thence south along Alexander's line twenty-five feet, more or less, thence east fifty feet, more or less, to the place of beginning. Levied on as the property of the defendants, N. C. Robinson, Jr., and W. A. Webster, to satisfy a fi fa issued from the J. P. court of the 1234th district, G. M., of said county, in favor of W. M. Jones, versus the said N. C. Robinson, Jr., and W. A. Webster. Property pointed out by plaintiffs' attorney.

Also, at the same time and place, the following property, to-wit: A certain lot on Randolph street, in the city of Atlanta, fronting on Randolph street fifty feet and running back one hundred and fifty feet. The same being No. 25 Randolph street, lying between Wheat and Edgewood avenue—formerly Foster street. Levied on as the property of Dennis J. O'Callaghan to satisfy a fi fa issued from the Habersham county, Georgia, J. P. court in favor of John Stephens & Co., versus the said Dennis J. O'Callaghan. Property levied upon by M. J. Smith, L. C., 1234th district, G. M., Fulton county, Georgia.

June 7—d3t J. W. MORROW, Sheriff.

GEORGIA, FULTON COUNTY.—In pursuance of and under the powers granted in a deed and mortgage, executed by Mrs. L. V. Thomas and Mrs. E. D. Thomas, of said county, to the Mutual Loan and Banking Company, on the 10th day of December, 1889, conveying the title and covering the interest that said parties have or may have had in and to a certain tract or parcel of land situated, lying and being in land lot 112, of the fourteenth district of said Fulton county, near the corporate limits of the city of Atlanta, fronting on the east side of Wilson street forty-five feet, and extending back east same width 200 feet; bounded north by Mrs. Brooks, south by Mrs. L. V. Thomas, and being in the town of Bellwood near Bellwood church, and about 105 feet south of the Mason and Turner's ferry road; the said grantees having made default for more than sixty days in the payment of the notes, which said deed and mortgages were given to secure the said The Mutual Loan and Banking Company, will sell at public outcry, before the courthouse door, in the city of Atlanta, said county, between the legal hours of sale, on Tuesday, the 12th day of July, 1892, to the highest bidder, for cash, the above described premises. To be sold for the purpose of paying the said debt to said association.

THE MUTUAL LOAN AND BANK

FORMALLY OPENED.

The Georgia State Convention of Teachers Assembled Last Night.

A NOTABLE GATHERING OF EDUCATORS

The Capitol Crowded—Excellent Address of Welcome and Response—The Magic Lantern Exhibit.

The Georgia state convention of teachers held its opening session in the house of representatives last night.

It was a notable gathering of Georgia's intellectual men and women engaged in the culture of her youth and in the great work of building up the educational interests of the state.

The hall was crowded long before the hour arrived for calling the convention to order. The delegates began to pour in as early as 7 o'clock, and continued to file in the door until every seat on the floor was taken.

Nearly every teacher in the schools of Atlanta was present to affiliate with their co-laborers and to witness the interesting exercises of the convention. The galleries were crowded with spectators, representing Atlanta's best culture and refinement.

An excellent band dispensed good music, and kept the large gathering entertained until the exercises commenced.

A great many delegates have not yet arrived, but they will be here in time for the meeting today. The convention, in point of numbers and interest, has already exceeded the expectations of the committee, and the proceedings last night enthused everybody with a spirit of lively interest in the work and purposes of the body.

A more distinguished gathering has not assembled in Atlanta in years, but it's only the forerunner of the great convention that will assemble next Wednesday. The latter, however, will exceed it only in the multiplication of numbers, and not in zeal or enthusiasm.

The Convention.

The convention was called to order promptly at half-after 8 o'clock in the hall of the house of representatives. Professor Euler B. Smith, of LaGrange, Ga., president of the state organization, was in the chair. Calling the meeting to order, he announced that the convention would be opened with prayer by Rev. J. William Jones. The eloquent divine, in a beautiful prayer of invocation, implored the blessing of God to rest upon the convention and its exercises, and to abide in plentiful measure with the individual delegates.

A selection by the band was then rendered with pleasing effect.

The instrumental discourse was then followed by a delightful chorus in which over fifty voices blended in beautiful harmony and held the great audience in a spell of rapture. It was led by Atlanta's efficient and able instructor, Professor B. C. Davis.

Major R. J. Guinn, in behalf of the department of education, then welcomed the delegates in a chaste and beautiful speech to the privileges and hospitality of the city. He said that the city, during the last few months had entertained a great many conventions within her gates, but none she attached more importance or greeted with a warmer welcome than the convention of the Georgia teachers. He spoke of the dignity of the profession and the magnitude and importance of the labor in which they were engaged. He said that it was peculiarly fitting that the convention should assemble in Georgia's capital, in which the pupils they were teaching would soon be enacting the laws and guiding the destinies of the commonwealth. "May your visit," said he, "be as pleasant to yourselves as your coming is to us."

Professor Smith then responded in behalf of the convention, his short address scintillating with wit and glowing with the happy diction for which he is distinguished. He was proud, he said, to come to Atlanta. He had been here before when The Constitution was in its knee breeches, and Peachtree street was in the fields—when Atlanta never dreamed that Birmingham would beat her playing ball. She was now a city of a hundred thousand people, without including Grant park or Manchester. "I believe," said he, "that a second-class teacher is as good as a second-class lawyer. We are happy to receive your welcome and trust you will leave your gates open so that we may return hereafter."

Colonel W. P. Hill, the brilliant member of the city council from the fourth ward, then welcomed the delegates in behalf of Atlanta's people. He said that he had just returned from a barbecue where he did his best to represent them. He loved the teachers, especially the lady teachers. They made good sweethearts and better wives, and he had demonstrated his faith by marrying one a year ago. He advocated a reformatory school as a sister institution to go with the educational system of the state, and to build up the moral as well as the intellectual character of her children. We greet you with open arms and are highly honored by your presence.

Professor J. W. Frederick, of Marshallville, Ga., the secretary of the convention, responded in a bright and scholarly speech, thanking the city for its welcome, and praising her charities and wonderful prosperity. It was full of mythological allusions and was a literary classic.

"Allow me to say in return for your hospitality that we will pay your recorder no ten dollars and costs, give your policemen no trouble and furnish your jail with no occupants."

Major W. F. Slaton, in behalf of the public schools of Atlanta, then extended the convention a southern welcome that came with beautiful emphasis from his soldierly heart. A teacher said he is not an ordinary person and the profession is not made up of spoiled lawyers and retired journalists, and of talented and specially equipped men and women. It is a profession that exceeds in dignity the profession of the law and is co-ordinate with that of the ministry itself. He was glad to invite them in the name of two hundred Atlanta teachers to the hospitality of the city.

Judge E. H. Orr, a former professor, but now the wearer of Atlanta's judicial ermine, replied in an eloquent and complimentary speech to the welcome of the public schools. He said that the teachers' association originated in Atlanta and on the very spot of ground on which the convention was assembled. He had been a lawyer and then a teacher and then a lawyer again, and now he was a justice of the peace. He had never prosecuted but two teachers out of eight hundred cases tried in his court. He had married several, and if any of the teachers while in the city desired to enter into the estate of double felicity he would be happy to perform the ceremony.

The band then commenced another selection while the crowd laughed heartily at Judge Orr's funny reference to the matrimonial state.

"I now have the pleasure of introducing the poet-teacher and teacher-poet of the convention, William T. Dumas." He opened with a sally at Judge Orr and announced the subject of his poetic gem, "Phrenos and Psyche." It was written in the serio-comic vein, for which he is noted, and was recited with a charm of delivery that greatly enhanced the effect of its rendition. The meter of the verses welled like music into the listening ears of the crowd, and was an exquisite gem of poetic thought and expression. It was too long, however, for publication, yet its beauty though never published will be retained in memory by every one who heard it.

Professor Smith, after the reading of the poem, announced that the convention would meet today at 9 o'clock in the hall of the house of representatives. "I now have the pleasure of introducing to you Professor Joseph T. Derry, of Macon, Ga., who will lecture upon that heroic character, the confederate soldier," said he.

Professor Derry opened his lecture with a beautiful tribute to the character and courage of confederate soldiers and said that the Fourth of July was a proper occasion on which to celebrate his services. He did not fight for slavery but for principle, for truth and for civilization. He exhibited as grand a heroism in defeat as the enemy in victory and was as noble upon the field of battle as a cavalier in history.

The lecture was illustrated with steroptiocon views and the hall at this point was darkened for the purpose of throwing the light upon the canvas.

The first picture presented was a street scene in Montgomery, the capital of the confederacy; then the portraits of Davis and Stephens followed, provoking thunders of applause from the excited audience. Views of Fort Sumter, before and after the bombardment, were next thrown upon the canvas. Over a hundred views were illustrated and the magic lantern exhibition, as well as the lecture throughout, was a great treat and was heartily enjoyed.

After the display was over the lights were renewed and the convention adjourned until today at 9 o'clock.

The music for tonight, which will be a special feature of the exercises, is as follows:

Ladies' chorus, "Kind Words"—Pinsuti.
Male quartet, selected—W. S. Garfield, D. E. Shumaker, A. E. Wheeler and B. C. Davis.

The following is the press committee: Josiah Carter, chairman; Henry Richardson, S. Paul Brown, E. M. Durant and W. G. Cooper.

THE TEACHERS COMING IN.

They Are Warmly Received and the City Is Crowded with Them.

The headquarters of the Georgia Teachers' Association and the Southern Educational Association were crowded during a greater part of the day yesterday, and the reception committee had its hands full assigning the teachers to homes.

The teachers began to arrive Sunday and by the time the association was called to order last night by President Euler B. Smith fully five hundred were in the city, while every train is increasing the number. The large number at the opening exercises surpassed the expectations of the most sanguine.

The Georgia Teachers' Association will be in session until Wednesday at noon, and at 8 o'clock in the evening the Southern Educational Association will begin its session, which will last until Friday evening.

Teachers from different states have begun to arrive already, and by Wednesday evening it is believed fully two thousand will be in the city, among whom will be the most prominent educators from Maine to Texas.

The offices of the Georgia Teachers' Association are filled by the following officers:

President—Euler B. Smith, LaGrange, Ga.
Secretary—J. W. Frederick, Marshallville, Ga.
Treasurer—Edgar H. Orr, Atlanta, Ga.
Vice Presidents—W. H. Woodall, Columbus; Miss E. F. Andrews, Macon.

Department Presidents.

Council of Education—W. H. Baker, Savannah.
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The committees on local organization are doing all in their power to make this the best of the many meetings of the association, and there is now no doubt it will be.

The association has been a very great factor in building up the educational interests of the state of Georgia, and several times has largely influenced legislation on important matters in behalf of education.

The association was organized in Atlanta in 1867 with Dr. H. H. Tucker as president, and W. L. Brown as secretary. Since that time the annual meeting has been held in Atlanta six times—in 1869, 1873, 1881, 1884, 1885 and 1892. During the twenty-five years of its history the association has been in the hands of the best educators of the state, and now almost all the teachers attend the annual meetings.

All sessions of the general association will be held in the hall of the house of representatives at 9 o'clock a. m., and 8 o'clock p. m.

The department meetings will be held during the afternoons.

Following is the programme for the entire meeting:

Tuesday, July 5th, 9 O'Clock, A. M.

Reports of committees and other business.
"The Georgia Normal School," Superintendent Lawton B. Evans, Augusta, Ga.
"Ethical Culture in the Public Schools," Superintendent W. J. McKemie, West Point, Ga.
Discussion led by President A. W. Van Hoose, Gainesville, Ga.
"Legal Relation to Teacher, Pupil and Citizen," W. M. Bray, Atlanta, Ga.
Discussion led by Superintendent W. H. Baker, Savannah, Ga.

Tuesday, July 5th, 8 O'Clock P. M.

Address—"The Relation of Colleges and Universities to Modern Civilization," Hon. W. T. Harris, United States commissioner of education.
"The Teacher and His Profession," Hon. John G. Harris, Ph.D., superintendent of education, Montgomery, Ala.

Wednesday, July 6th, 9 O'Clock A. M.

Election of officers. General business.
"County Institutes in Georgia," Hon. S. D. Bradwell, Atlanta, Ga.
General discussion.
"The Southern Educational Association," Hon. J. R. Preston, Jackson, Miss.
"The National Educational Association," E. B. Smith, director for Georgia.
"Our Babes in the Wood," Rev. W. A. Candler, D.D., Oxford, Ga.
Final adjournment.

Department Programmes.

Superintendence, Capitol, room 16.
President, William Harper, Americus; secretary, L. B. Robeson, Cartersville.
Tuesday, July 5th, 3 o'clock p. m.—President's address, "A Plea for More Elastic Grading."
"The Idiotic Area," A. I. Branham, Brunswick, Ga.
Discussion opened by Superintendent B. M. Thomas, Dalton, Ga.; Professor J. E. Mathis, Americus, Ga.
Address—Hon. J. R. Preston, state superintendent of public education, Jackson, Miss.
Wednesday, July 6th, 5 o'clock p. m.—"Needed Reforms in School Work in Georgia," Superintendent Lawton B. Evans, Augusta, Ga.
Discussion opened by Superintendent W. J. McKemie, West Point, Ga.; Dr. W. C. Dudley, Cuthbert, Ga.
Election of officers. General business.
Normal.
President—J. W. Glenn, Elberton.
Secretary—S. P. Orr, Jefferson.
Tuesday, July 5th, 3 p. m.—President's address. General business.
"The Georgia Normal and Industrial College," President J. Harris Chappell, Milledgeville, Ga.
"Normal Education for Public School Teachers in Georgia," President G. J. Orr, Dalton, Ga.
Discussion led by Superintendent W. F. Slaton, Atlanta, Ga.
Election of officers.
Elementary and Kindergarten at Girls' High School building.
President—Homer Wright, Columbus.
Secretary—Miss Jessie Goodall, Macon.
Tuesday, July 5th, 3 p. m.—General business.
"Elementary Science in Primary Grades," Miss Jessie M. Snider, Columbus, Ga.
"Kindergarten Work," Superintendent Lawton B. Evans, Augusta, Ga.
Election of officers.
Secondary at the Capitol, room 21.
President—J. C. Harris, Cedartown.
Secretary—E. C. Merry, Atlanta.
Tuesday, July 5th, 3 p. m.—President's address. General business.
"The Schoolmaster and His Critics," W. J. Noyes, Atlanta, Ga.
"System of Marking and Reporting," Bothwell Graham, Griffin, Ga.
Wednesday, July 6th, 2 p. m.—"Incentives to Study and Good Conduct," Professor W. M. Slaton, Atlanta, Ga.
Election of officers.
General business.
Higher, in the Senate Chamber.
President—W. E. Boggs, Athens.
Secretary—J. S. Stewart, Marietta.
Tuesday, July 5th, 3 p. m.—President's address. General business.
"The Origin and History of the Decimal System of Notation," Professor D. C. Barrow, Athens, Ga.
Election of officers.

All business connected with the general sessions of the association will be transacted at the rooms of the executive officers at the Kimball house.

Local committees will have headquarters at the capitol, where they will give every possible care and attention to the comfort, convenience, information and pleasure of visiting members.

Department meetings will be held in the Girls' High school, near the capitol.

Notes.

Governor W. J. Northen, a lifelong teacher, is an interested member of the association.

President J. Harris Chappell, of the Girls' Industrial and Normal college, of Milledgeville, is one of the most prominent members of the association present. He is doing a great work for Georgia in his position, and on all occasions he remembers to put in a word for the girls, and the state's pride, the Girls' Industrial and Normal college.

State School Commissioner S. D. Bradwell and Major R. J. Guinn are putting forth every effort to make the association a success and the visit of the teachers to Atlanta pleasant.

The poem, "Phrenos and Psyche," by Professor W. T. Dumas, of Sparta, was one of his best productions.

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Ar Opelika..	7 40 p m	2 40 a m		
Ar Columbus..				11 05 a m
Ar Montgomery	9 25 p m	5 00 a m		
Ar Pensacola	3 15 a m	10 10 a m		
Ar Mobile..	3 15 a m	12 10 p m		
Ar N Orleans.	7 45 a m	4 40 p m		
Ar Houston Tex	9 45 p m	7 05 a m		

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Ar Selma.....	11 20 p m	10 10 a m		

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Lv Mobile.....	1 00 pm	7 00 pm		
Lv Pensacola..		11 20 pm		
Ar Montgomery..	Y 55 pm	7 00 am		
Lv Selma.....	4 20 pm	8 15 am		
Lv Montgomery..	11 15 pm	7 00 am		
Ar Columbus..	12 05 pm	12 50 am		11 20 a m
Ar Opelika..	5 10 am	5 50 am		4 15 p m
Ar West Point..	5 40 am	6 15 am		4 50 p m
Ar LaGrange..	6 35 am	7 05 am		5 45 p m
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Where Everybody Heard Good Speeches and Had a Good Time—The Day in Atlanta.

Never was the Fourth of July more royally celebrated than it was in Clarkston yesterday.

Not even in the good old days before the war, when the celebration was more general than it is now.

From beginning to end it was a feast of reason and a flow of soul, and though it rained in the early part of the morning, it did not affect the crowd a particle. Their patriotism was waterproof, and their enthusiasm laughed at the rain as it came pattering down upon their heads.

The little village of Clarkston never saw such a crowd before, and the record of the day with its big speeches and its soul-stirring music, will be sacredly kept in the archives of the town.

"Dixie" was never played with better effect, and the eagle never soared higher than he reached in the eloquent flights of patriotism that ascended from the platform yesterday.

It was a genuine, old-time Fourth of July celebration, and was heartily enjoyed by the crowd.

Several hundred people went down from Atlanta—special trains being put on the track for the purpose of accommodating everybody that wanted to go.

The exercises began about 10 o'clock, and with a short intermission for dinner, lasted throughout the day. Nobody, however, was tired, and the crowd, when the meeting broke up, was larger than when it commenced.

An opening prayer was offered by Rev. F. B. Davies, who fervently prayed for the blessing of God to rest upon the day and the exercises.

Then the declaration of independence was brought out and read to the crowd by Professor Frank Bosworth. The manner of the reading added considerably to the force of its meaning, and as the concluding words of the instrument, "We mutually pledge in its support our lives, our fortunes and our sacred honor," fell upon the ears of the crowd, it awoke a tumult of shouts that lasted for several minutes, and that only quieted when the band commenced to play "America."

It was a lively scene when the cheering was at its height, and reminded the complacent observer, if there were any present, of the old colonial days when the fires of revolution were first started in Philadelphia.

Mayor Williams then delivered the address of welcome, after which, the programme was carried out in the following order:

Music—Clarkston Cornet band.
Address—"The Fourth of July"—Mr. Alex W. Bealer.
Music—Clarkston Cornet band.
Address—"You Can't Keep a Workingman Down"—Mr. T. L. Galloway.

Recess for Dinner.

Music—Clarkston Cornet band.
Song—"Old Folks at Home"—Audience, led by Professor McGill.
Music—Clarkston Cornet band.
Address—"American Progress"—Mr. J. A. Arnold.
Music—Clarkston Cornet band.
Address—"You Can't Afford to Lie"—Lon Fields, attorney at law, Atlanta.
Solo—"Star Spangled Banner"—Professor Frank Bosworth.
Humorous Speech—"De Nigger an' de ——"
Song—"God Be With You Till We Meet Again"—Audience, led by Professor McGill.

When the exercises were over, the crowd scattered about in the woods and passed away the time in rambling among the blackberries. Others went down to the lake—a superb and beautiful sheet, almost Italian in the quiescent tranquility of its waters—and enjoyed the pleasure of rowing over its surface.

It was a great day, and the crowd was delighted with the entertainment.

QUIET IN THE CITY.

There Were Crowds of Excursionists Who Did the Celebrating.

Had it not been for the visitors the Fourth would have been an uneventful, commonplace holiday in Atlanta.

The public offices and the banks were closed, but in the stores business went on as usual. Many employes, however, had a half holiday. The attendance at the theaters, the ball game and the cyclorama was large.

Some decorating was done and the national colors appeared here and there. Numbers of Atlantians went away Saturday night and on Sunday to the resorts. Far more came into the city, though, than left it. The whole day long the streets were busy and the fruit stands did a lucrative trade.

Came from All Directions.

All the railroads brought in crowds. Four hundred negroes came in from Birmingham. The Atlanta and West Point carried 800 into the city and out again, the most of them coming from West Point. The East Tennessee brought crowds from both directions and the Georgia, the Central and the Georgia, Carolina and Northern and Western and Atlantic all helped to swell the number of visitors. These excursions made it lively in the neighborhood of the depot. The visitors spent their change at the fruit stands, and the improvised booths on Wall street did a rushing trade at profitable prices, for the buyers did not count much for their money.

No accidents were reported from the crowds.

THE COLORED FOURTH.

Military Companies Out at Piedmont Park—The Races.

Piedmont park was crowded yesterday by the negro population.

Early in the morning they began to arrive and by the time Captain Mose Bentley and arrived with his oldiers, brass bands, baseball clubs and bicyclists, the grand stand was full and several hundred sat around on the hills.

The procession formed at the old capitol and marched out to the park. There were the military companies present—the Governor's Volunteers, the Georgia Cadets, the Washington Guards and the Fulton Artillery.

Governor Northen reviewed the troops at 10 o'clock.

The programme, so carefully arranged by Beatty and McHenry, was carried out to the letter.

The first attraction was a contest between several brass bands. Each band came out and blew themselves and their instruments to pieces and then retired, covered with perspiration and glory.

The baseball games were played during the afternoon. A balloon ascension, horse races, bicycle races and rope walking took up the rest of the time.

The great event of the day was the baby show. About six hundred lusty little ones were entered.

A walking match and a dance in the restaurant building closed the day's pleasures.

THE DAUGHTERS OF THE REVOLUTION.

They Raised the National Flag Over Their Homes Yesterday.

The Fourth of July was celebrated yesterday by the Daughters of the Revolution in an unique and charming manner.

There was no reading of the declaration and no eloquent speeches by the members, but in a quiet and symbolic way the day was appropriately observed.

Visitors in passing through the city yesterday observed in many places the national flag waving from the roofs or projected from the verandas of private dwellings.

It meant that the inmates of those houses were members of that patriotic society, the Daughters of the Revolution. A few days ago an order was issued by the officers of the association to the effect that each member should procure a flag and raise it over the house in which she resided.

The Fourth of July, commemorating the day on which the declaration was ratified and the patriots observed their independence of the mother country, suggested the idea of the flags and it was agreed to unfurl them on yesterday.

No sectionalism or impropriety of any kind was concerned in the resolution. It was a broad and national sentiment that inspired its author in introducing it, and that prompted the society to vote for its adoption—a feeling of love for the republic founded by their revolutionary ancestors—and nearly every member of the society carried out the patriotic injunction.

Wherever flags were not raised over the homes of members it was not because of sectional prejudice, for the society ignores such a narrow spirit, but for the reason that the members were away from home. Several have left the city during the last few weeks for the seashore and the mountains, but among the remaining members the order was observed with singular unanimity.

Among the members who hung out the flag were Mrs. Harry Jackson, Mrs. L. J. Hill, Mrs. John Milledge, Mrs. Hoke Smith, Mrs. General Gordon, Mrs. Morris Brandon, Mrs. E. C. Peters, Mrs. W. R. Rhett, Mrs. T. C. Jackson, Mrs. T. R. R. Cobb and many others.

A Serious Reflection on Local and Visiting Teachers.

Mr. Kirby, city ticket agent East Tennessee, Virginia and Georgia railway, Kimball house corner, has cut from leading papers, all the articles that have recently appeared in the interest of the several roads soliciting teachers' patronage to Saratoga and return. Each one claims that the road it refers to is the only one possessing any intermediate attractions.

Mr. Kirby's comment on the situation is logical, and proves that the manner adopted by these roads to attract the teachers' attention evidences the presenc of an idea that they consider the teachers are so deficient in intelligence that they will swallow any thing. "No, indeed," continued Mr. Kirby, "no passenger or ticket agent can afford to lie to teachers. They teach school and must be familiar with the country and know full well just where to find attractions without being advised by some over-zealous passenger agent." "Does your road expect to handle much of the business?" "Yes sir," replied Mr. Kirby, "we have about three sleepers filled, and expect to fill three more. They know that over two hundred noted resorts are located in east Tennessee and Virginia, directly on the route they will go, and they know equally as well that our route through the Shenandoah valley is known as 'the Switzerland of America,' therefore a cool ride, lined with attractions, is a certainty. Now," continued Mr. Kirby, "what other road out of Atlanta has attractions that even approximate those we offer?"

Mr. Kirby believes all he says, and that his road will get a majority of the travel there appears to be no doubt.

MASS MEETING TONIGHT.

Fulton's Democracy Will Choose Delegates to the Senatorial Convention.

Fulton county's democrats will meet tonight to select delegates to the senatorial convention. This meeting will be held in the basement of the county courthouse. It will be an eventful meeting, but a well-attended one. It being recognized that Cobb county is entitled to the senator this time Fulton will send delegates favorable to the nomination of Hon. Steve Clay, of Cobb.

There will be a meeting of the democrats of Fulton county in the basement of the county courthouse at 8 o'clock tonight, July 5, 1892, for the purpose of selecting delegates to the senatorial convention of the democratic party of the thirty-fifth senatorial district, to be held on July 9, 1892, to nominate a candidate to represent said district in the upper branch of the next general assembly of this state.

By order of the committee.

MORRIS BRANDON,
Chairman Democratic Executive Committee of Fulton County, Georgia.
CLARENCE E. MOORE, Secretary.

Daisy, the little child of Mr. G. W. Herndon, who lives at No. 57 Leach street, has mysteriously disappeared from home.

The annual election of officers of the Atlanta Chamber of Commerce will occur in the secretary's office today.

The Forty-second Georgia regiment will hold a reunion at Covington July 22d.

LIVE STOCK INSURANCE.

Its Great Benefits and a Few Reasons Why You Should Insure.

People need live stock insurance and they have been looking for a safe, reliable and honorable company for years, and now they have it in the Southern Live Stock Insurance Company, of Atlanta, Ga.

Insurance against loss and damage to life and property from various causes has grown to be immense, and stands in the front rank of business interests, and to no class is the necessity or such protection more apparent and important than to owners of live stock. Over fifty million dollars are invested in live stock in the state of Georgia, and notwithstanding the frequency of losses to the owners thereof there have been but few attempts made to provide adequate protection by insurance against such losses.

Farmers, breeders and owners of live stock realize how liable they are to loss by death, accident and disease, and know the value of the protection which a properly conducted live stock insurance company could give.

It is for the purpose of providing such insurance and protection that the Southern Live Stock Insurance Company, of Atlanta, Ga., offers to the public the protection of its policies.

HER FIRST CAKE.

"She measured the butter with a very solemn air,
The milk and sugar also, and she took the greatest care
To count the eggs correctly, and to add a little bit
Of baking powder which, you know, beginners oft omit.
Then she stirred it all together and she baked it for an hour.
But she never quite forgave herself for leaving out the flour."

Flour is the cause of a great many failures in cake, bread and rolls. Not, generally, as with our beginner, because it is forgotten, but because the flour is poor. With the Regal Patent Flour such failures are unknown. It is the acme of flour—always pure, always white and light and always the same. Those who use it once never use any other. Try one sack or barrel of it and you will always have good pastry, good bread and good rolls.

Do you use iced tea? If you do, we can certainly interest you. Our Talo Tea is especially adapted to iced tea, as it is rich in color and of fine flavor and quality. We have selected this tea with the greatest care, and have carefully blended it so as to obtain the best results possible, and we have succeeded in obtaining a tea which cannot be excelled in quality and flavor. You will find it a genuine treat.

In Pickles and Olives we have a large assortment of the very best. We have the cucumber, mixed, sour and sweet Pickles, the Chow-Chow, and sweet pickled Cherries and Peaches. In Olives you can get the large XXXX Queen Olives, the Manzanilla or the French crescent, or you can get them in bulk as you prefer. Our stock is large and varied, and we can suit all. In Sauces and Table Relishes we would call to your attention the following: Lea & Perrins's Worcestershire Sauce, Pepper Sauce, Shrewsbury Tomato Catsup, Chili Sauce, Celery Sauce, Tobasco Sauce, Hotspur Relish, Walnut Catsup, Durkee's Salad Dressing, and Mayonnaise Dressing; in fact, when you need anything call on us and you will find it of the very best quality.

We have the largest and most varied stock in the south.

W. R. HOYT.
89 Whitehall Street.

A DAY FOR "QUES."

There Were Quite a Number in Atlanta Yesterday.

THE QUE CLUB ENTERTAINS MANY,

While Commissioner Wylie Gives the Councilmen a Feast—The County Commissioners Feasted, Too.

The "Q" Club, one of the most famous barbecue clubs in the south, celebrated the Fourth of July in grand style yesterday at its grounds on the Howell's Mills road, beyond the reservior.

About forty gentlemen were present. The 'que was served at 4:30 o'clock. A more magnificent barbecue was never served in this county which means that yesterday's event was one of the most notable of its kind ever given in this section, for there is no place in the south that can excel Fulton county in barbecues.

Chief Cook Harry Stockdell, and Assistant Cooks George Brown and P. Pelligrini had charge of the cuisine. Barbecued shoat, kid, chicken, Brunswick stew, spaghetti stew and several other dishes prepared by the master hands of these expert cooks, formed part of the royal table spread for the guests, which, with the usual accompaniments of a good barbecue, made it a thorough success in every particular.

The declaration of independence was read in an impressive manner by Mr. Stockdell, after which "The Star Spangled Banner" was sung by those around the table, the tune being led by Ed McCandless and closely followed by Park Woodward, Clarence Angier, Dr. Frank Holland and the rest.

Patriotic sentiments were the order of the day, and the nation's birthday was celebrated in a becoming manner. The club returned to the city about dark.

The 'que was one of the best ever given by the club, and adds to its many notable conquests on this line.

The Old Veterans.

The confederate veterans of Fulton and Cobb counties had a grand reunion at Iceville yesterday, and the day was royally spent.

A great barbecue was one of the features, and a big feature it was.

During the afternoon the younger people danced in the pavilion to the strains of Holmes's orchestra.

Several speeches were made. Among the speakers was Judge Robert L. Rodgers, of Atlanta, who was chosen orator of the day. The judge announced himself a candidate for the legislature from Fulton county.

Mr. John Clay Smith, a young Atlantian, spoke very glowingly of the confederate veterans' past and present condition. The veterans returned to the city at 6 o'clock.

Captain Wylie Gives a Que.

Captain Dave Wylie, under whose care and directions the stockade farm comes, gave the members of the general council and the city officials a practical proof of his excellent management of the city's plantations.

It was in the shape of a barbecue and that barbecue was one of the best ever given in the south.

Captain Wylie's right hand man in the work was Captain Ed Cox. In the beautiful shady grove on the place long tables were strung, covered with nice white linen and shining clean dishes. Over trenches were carcasses of beef, sheep, hogs and goat—all the product of the farm. The savory odors were enough to whet the appetite of even an Atlanta councilman and every member of the body was. The repast was one fit for the gods, and was The repast was one fit for the Gods, and was most royally enjoyed. After the dinner the members of the council made a thorough inspection of the farm. The meadows were found well covered with grass and ricks of last year's hay. The cribs were full of corn and the stock was all fat and smooth. The farm spoke volumes for the faithful work of Captain Wylie and Captain Cox.

Nolan Reed, a young white man whose home is near Cole's nursery, was run over by a Pryor street dummy yesterday. His right leg was broken in two places, and he has serious internal injuries and is badly wounded otherwise. It is thought that his injuries are necessarily fatal.

All lovers of the delicacies of the table use Angostura Bitters to secure a good digestion, but the genuine only, manufactured by Dr. Siegert & Sons. At all druggists.

Christian Endeavor Meeting at New York

It has been decided that the Erie line is the official route for southern delegates to the International convention of Christian Endeavor at New York, July 7 to 10, 1892. The only line passing Lake Chautanqua and Niagara Falls en route. Tickets good to August 15th returning. For full information please apply to tickets agents connecting lines or to E. A. Jones, T. P. A. Erie Lines, P. O. box 475, Chattanooga, Tenn. june 26 to july 6

WHISKY AND OPIUM.

An Awful Though Unintentional Error, is that of drinking whisky and using opium and morphine. Stop! Reflect! and apply to Dr. B. M. Woolley, Atlanta Ga., and be cured as thousands of others have been who are now free with uncloaded minds and happy families. A treatise sent free to all applicants

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A. O. M. GAY & SON,
MEN'S FINE FURNISHINGS AND HATS,
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"RINGS."
Baby Rings,
Children's Rings,
Friendship Rings,
Engagement Rings,
Wedding Rings,
All at lowest possible prices at the
A. L. DELKIN COMPANY,
69 Whitehall Street.

MERCURIAL Mr. J. C. Jones, of Fulton, Arkansas, says of S.S.S.

"About ten years ago I contracted a severe case of blood poison. Leading physicians prescribed medicine after medicine, which I took without any relief. I also tried mercurial and potash remedies, with unsuccessful results, but which brought on an attack of mercurial rheumatism that made my life one of agony. After suffering **RHEUMATISM** four years I gave up all remedies and began using S. S. S. After taking several bottles I was entirely cured and able to resume work.

S.S.S. Is the greatest medicine for blood poisoning to-day on the market."

Treatise on Blood and Skin Diseases mailed free. SWIFT SPECIFIC CO., Atlanta, Ga.

Sour Eructations, fullness after eating, with disinclination to exertion of body or mind; irritability of temper, general weariness and debility are speedily removed by the use of

TUTT'S Tiny Liver Pills

and good appetite, strong digestion, activity of body and mind, sociability, buoyancy of spirits, and health and strength take their place. Price, 25 cents. Office, 39 & 41 Park Place, N. Y.

ELY'S CREAM BALM IS WORTH $500 TO ANY MAN Woman or Child suffering from CATARRH.

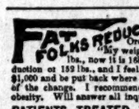
CATARRH

HAY-FEVER

NOT A LIQUID OR SNUFF. A particle is applied into each nostril, and is agreeable. Price 50c at Druggist or by mail. ELY BROTHERS, 56 Warren St., New York tues thur sat nrm

Fun For Two.

All children enjoy a drink of Hires' Root Beer. So does every other member of the family. A 25 cent package makes 5 gallons of this delicious drink. Don't be deceived if a dealer, for the sake of larger profit, tells you some other kind is "just as good"—'tis false. No imitation is as good as the genuine HIRES'.



FAT FOLKS REDUCED Mrs. Allie Maple, of Oregon, Mo., says: "My weight was 200 lbs., now it is 168 lbs., a reduction of 32 lbs., and I feel so much better that I would not take $1,000 and be put back where I was. I am both surprised and proud of the change. I recommend your treatment to all sufferers from obesity. Will answer all inquiries if stamp is inclosed for reply." PATIENTS TREATED BY MAIL. CONFIDENTIAL. Harmless, and with no starving, inconvenience, or bad effects. For particulars address, with 6 cent in stamps, DR. O. W. F. SNYDER, McVICKER'S THEATER, CHICAGO, ILL.

Today, at 11 O'Clock,

I sell No. 23 Hayden street and No. 544 Decatur street, at the courthouse door.

Attend the sale. S. W. ADAIR.

WANTED—Six first-class dining room waiters. Apply at once at J. C. S. Timberlake, Gainesville, Ga.

SHERIFF'S SALES FOR AUGUST, 1892.—Will be sold before the courthouse door in the city of Atlanta, Fulton county, Georgia, on the first Tusday in August next within the legal hours of sale the following property, to wit:

Fifty-one acres of land, more or less, lying in Fulton county, Georgia, in the 17th district of originally Henry now Fulton county, Georgia, being the undivided south half of the original half of land lot 193, commencing at the southwest corner of said lot, thence north with the original line 61 rods and 7 1-2 feet to a stake at the corner of Mrs. Burgess's fence, thence north of east with corner of said fence 47 rods and 7 1-2 feet to a rock corner, thence due east to a bluff spring on the northwest side of a branch, thence up said branch with meanderings of said branch to a rock corner, thence due east to within 30 rods of the original north line of said lot, thence south parallel with the original line to a pine knot corner 30 rods west of the original corner, thence due west to the beginning. The above described property is located six miles from the city of Atlanta, Ga., and near what was known as Morrs & Brothers' mills, and on and near Peachtree creek.

Levied on as the property of A. W. Stroup to satisfy a fi. fa. issued from the Fulton superior court in favor of W. S. Wilson & Brothers versus the said A. W. Stroup.

Also at the same time and place the following property, towit: A lot on Pryor street in the second ward of the city of Atlanta, Fulton county, Georgia, adjoining the property of Gardener and Trout and known as 227 South Pryor street, and fronting 50 feet, more or less, on the said Pryor street, and extending back 163 feet, more or less, being the property conveyed to Mrs. M. Lynan in the year 1882 by B. B. Ferry, as appears of record in the office of the clerk of the superior court of Fulton county, and recored in book M. M., page 515. Levied upon as the property of Mrs. M. Lynan to satisfy a fi. fa. issued from superior court of Fulton county, Georgia, in favor of the Neal Loan and Banking Company versus the said Mrs. M. Lynan and Harry Lynan.

Also at the same time and place the following property in the second ward of the city of Atlanta, Fulton county, Georgia, to-wit: Commencing at a point on the north side of Trinity avenue, 161 feet east of Pryor street, and running east along said Trinity avenue 50 feet, thence north same width 100 feet, more or less, to the beginning point, being a portion of the property on which the defendant now resides. Levied upon as the property of Mrs. J. D. Craig to satisfy a fi. fa. issued from the Fulton county superior court in favor of the Neal Loan and Banking Company versus the said Mrs. J. D. Craig.

Also at the same time and place the one-fourth undivided interest in the minerals contained in the following described land, to wit: That tract or parcel of land containing seventy acres, more or less, and a part of the northwest corner of land lot 15 in the 17th district of originally Henry now Fulton county, Georgia, bounded on the northwest by the land of W. S. Martin, and on the south by John F. Irby, on the east by Mrs. Johnson, and on the north by John W. Covington. Levied upon as the property of W. L. Ezzard to satisfy a fi. fa. issued from the superior court of Fulton county in favor of the Neal Loan and Banking Company versus the said W. L. Ezzard and James F. Alexander.

JAMES W. MORROW, Sheriff.
july 5-4t thurs

MONEY TO LOAN.

MONEY TO LOAN—$2,500 to loan on long or short time, approved security. Address Box 157. tues thur

MONEY TO LOAN—From $1 up on diamonds, watches, jewelry and all articles of value. Wilde & Co., No. 5 Peachtree street. may8-14t sun

STATE SAVINGS BANK, 34 West Alabama, conducts a general banking business; encourages small savings accounts. Interest on these at the rate of 5 per cent if remaining over 60 days.

MONEY TO LEND on improved real estate in or near Atlanta. S. Hamett, Equitable building, room 537, Pryor street and Edgewood avenue

BARKER & HOLLEMAN negotiate real estate loans at low rates. Room 32 Gould building.

FOR SALE—Real Estate.

PHOSPHATE LAND, orange groves, improved farming land. W. L. Jackson, Archer, Fla. july5-3m

NOTICE.

All advertisements in our Want Column such as "Lost," "Found," "Sales," "For Rent," "Boarders Wanted," "Business Chances," "Personal," "Help Wanted," etc., cost Ten Cents per line or fraction of a line each insertion. There are seven words to a line. No advertisement taken for less than price of three lines. Advertisements must be in Business Office before 8 p. m. the day before publication, and must be paid for in advance.

HELP WANTED—Male

WANTED—A teacher to take charge of the Latin department of a high-grade female college in the state; a knowledge of natural science also required. Address application before 5 p. m. to P., care Markham house.

STENOGRAPHERS, bookkeepers, drummers, clerks and collectors obtain good positions by applying to Southern Bureau of Information and Employment, 70 1-2 Peachtree street.

WANTED—One carriage painter and two helpers in paint shop. Apply at once. Summers & Murphey, Barnesville, Ga. july3-3t.

B—WANTED—Salesmen on salary or commission to handle the new patent chemical ink erasing pencil, the greatest selling novelty ever produced; erases ink thoroughly in two seconds; no abrasion of paper; 200 to 400 per cent profit; one agent's sales amounted to $620 in six days, another $32 in two hours. We want one general agent in each state and territory. For terms and full particulars address the Monroe Eraser Mfg Co., La Crosse, Wis. X 16.

WANTED—A first-class meat and pastry cook combined. Must be sober; wages, $40 per month, at Grand hotel, Tallulah Falls, Ga. W. D. Young. july 3-7t

FIRST-CLASS STENOGRAPHERS, BOOKkeepers, drummers, clerks and collectors will be furnished you by the Southern Bureau of Information and Employment, 70 1-2 Peachtree street.

SITUATTIONS WANED—Male.

A CULTIVATED young lady, who is a graduate with distinction of one of the finest female colleges in the south, would accept a desirable situation as private teacher or other school. Address for two weeks, Miss M. L., care Atlanta Constitution. jun28-tue thur sat.

SITUATIONS WANTED | Female

YOUNG LADY STENOGRAPHER desires situation. Fully competent. Address Typewriter, care Constitution.

WANTED—Agents.

AGENTS Wanted for quickest selling article on record; every house wants it; write quick; sample 5 cents. Albert Fry, Anniston, Ala.

AGENTS WANTED for the great Democratic Campaign Book. Lives, records and biographies of all presidents. The only Encyclopedia of American politics. History and platforms of all parties. Will answer all political questions. Three large volumes in one, handsomely illustrated. Drop all else and send 35c for our magnificent prospectus. This book sells at sight. Liberal terms. Beautifully illustrated, descriptive circular, with full information, free. Charles L. Webster & Co., 67 Fifth avenue, New York. july5-19—tues

YOUR PATRONAGE will be duly appreciated. Orders satisfactorily and promptly executed. Our prices and work are captivating. A trial solicited. Cohen Printing Co., 26 South Pryor street.

AGENTS WANTED, at once, to canvass for the American Fruit Preserving Powder and Liquid; the cheapest and most reliable method of canning fruit, etc. Reference required. Liberal commission paid. Kelly & Phillips, Maxwell, Ga. july2-d10t

LIFE INSURANCE—First-class contract and good territory in best part of Kentucky and Tennessee, for good, live, experienced general or special agent. Roe, Lyon & Hiberd, managers, Equitable Life, Louisville, Ky. jun22-5t wed fri sun tues thur.

10,000 MORE AGENTS WANTED—For the great Quadro-Centennial History, by Hon. J. G. Blaine, J. C. Redpath and others; 500 splendid historical illustrations; the greatest book of the greatest century; sells on sight; a regular mortgage lifter; write for special terms and free excursions to the World's Fair Historical Publishing Company, St. Louis, Mo. jun7-3m tues thur sat.

INSTRUCTION

A GERMAN vacation school, at the basement of the German Lutheran church, corner of S. Forsyth and Garnett streets, will be held during the months of July and August, by the pastor; also, German lessons privately to any number of pupils. Care A. S. Bersch, No. 163 S. Forsyth street.

WANTED—Miscellaneous

I WANT TO HIRE a gentle horse and double-seated vehicle for a few days. Apply mornings, 47 1-2 East Hunter street.

V. E. ORR, 226 Equitable building, will furnish teachers a position or any school with teachers and supplies.

TEACHERS, call at 226 Equitable building.

WANTED—To hire for sixty or ninety days one good horse. Terms, his board and 50 cents a week. Address D. L., care Constitution. july 1, 5t.

WANTED—For the summer months a buggy or dog cart and a gentle horse, suitable for a lady to drive. State lowest price per month. Best of care given same. Address M. A. T., care Constitution. july3-d5t

WANTED—Boarders.

DESIRABLE ROOM, with or without board, 20 Church street, one block from Peachtree; quiet place for transient.

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TEACHERS WILL BE SHOWN all new school devices at 226 Equitable building.

MARRIED LADIES—Send 10c for "Infallible Safeguard" (no medicine, no deception;) just what you want. Ladies Bazar, Kansas City, Mo. june 24-d6m

BUY YOUR SCHOOL supplies tomorrow of V. E. Orr, 226 Equitable building.

WHEN IN BUFFALO stop at the Genesee; Niagara Falls forty minutes away.

BUSINESS CHANCES.

WANTED—To buy an established fire insurance business. Address W. A., this office. june30-1w

BUILDING MATERIAL.

GET OUR PRICES on lumber, shingles, laths, white pine, doors, mantels and house trimmings. We want cash trade only as our prices are too low to credit. Atlanta Lumber Company, yards near baseball park. july3-2w.

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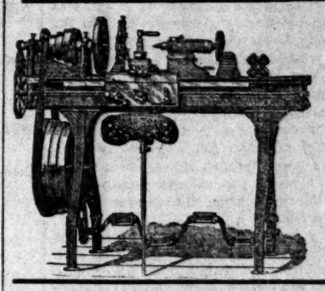

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